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193 CONNECTICUT
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195 TEXAS TECH
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196 WEST VIRGINIA

197 AUBURN
3:30 p.m.
198 LSU

199 MICHIGAN
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200 ★ ★ WISCONSIN

201 MISSISSIPPI ST
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202 TEXAS A&M

203 ARKANSAS ST
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204 GEORGIA SOUTHERN

205 UNLV
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207 SOUTHERN MISS
6:00 p.m.
208 RICE

209 LOUISIANA
7:00 p.m.
210 SOUTH ALABAMA

211 LIBERTY
7:00 p.m.
212 ★ ★ UAB

213 MARSHALL
7:00 p.m.
214 MIDDLE TENNESSEE

215 NORTHWESTERN
7:30 p.m.
216 NEBRASKA

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219 OLD DOMINION
9:00 p.m.
220 UTEP

221 ARIZONA ST
10:00 p.m.
222 UCLA

223 FRESNO ST
11:00 p.m.
224 HAWAII

Virginia Cavaliers

Cavaliers Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		129	118			9/4	William & Mary	43-0	W	96	79	119			
1-0	1-1	0-0	1-0	133	124			9/11	Illinois	42-14	W	84	80	22	86	96	64
2-0	1-1	0-0	0-1	136	136		21	9/18	at North Carolina	39-59	L	71	77	85	8	38	88
2-1	3-0	0-1	1-0	133	130			9/25	Wake Forest	17-37	L	47	95	92	54	62	15
2-2	2-2	0-2	0-0	128	130			10/2	at Miami, Fl			49	100	96	24	36	46
	3-1		1-0		128			10/9	at Louisville						71	84	58
	3-1		0-0		117			10/16	Duke						15	97	22
	2-2		1-1		128			10/23	Georgia Tech						58	66	112
	4-0		0-0		130			10/30	at BYU						63	101	31
								11/6	Bye								
	4-0		0-0		140			11/13	Notre Dame						68	5	23
	3-1		0-0		127			11/20	at Pittsburgh						21	33	56
	3-1		1-0		127			11/27	Virginia Tech						99	21	32

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
William & Mary	43-0	362	11	0	22	32-206	6.4	21-32	339	1	11	37-94	2.5	10-16	89	1
Illinois	42-14	219	11	0	31	33-133	4.0	28-40	423	0	20	27-116	4.3	24-45	221	3
at North Carolina	39-59	-125	-8	-1	27	22-21	1.0	40-57	553	3	35	47-392	8.3	14-21	307	1
Wake Forest	17-37	33	7	-2	31	27-99	3.7	33-59	407	6	24	45-203	4.5	17-29	270	0
at Miami, Fl																
at Louisville																
Duke																
Georgia Tech																
at BYU																
Bye																
Notre Dame																
at Pittsburgh																
Virginia Tech																
Average	35-28	122.3	5.3	-0.8	28	29-115	4.0	64.9%	431	5.3%	23	39-201	5.2	58.6%	222	4.5%
Conference	28-48	-46.0	-0.5	-1.5	29	25-60	2.4	62.9%	480	7.8%	30	46-298	6.5	62.0%	289	2.0%
Away	39-59	-125.0	-8.0	-1.0	27	22-21	1.0	70.2%	553		35	47-392	8.3	66.7%	307	4.8%

OVERALL: 2-2 vs. ACC 0-2

OVERALL: 2-2 vs. ACC 0-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Virginia		Miami, Fl
#110	Rush Off	#70
#1	Pass Off	#25
#7	**Total Off**	**#30**
#38	Score Off	#58
#92	Sks Allowed	#106
#112	Rush Def	#49
#67	Pass Def	#91
#100	**Total Def**	**#71**
#85	Score Def	#82
#104	Sks By	#74
#30	Ypg Diff	#48
-3	**Total TO's**	**-4**

Virginia Cavaliers | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Miami, Fl Hurricanes**

Position by Position Edges

Virginia		Miami, Fl
0.86	Virginia QB/WR vs. Miami, Fl DB's	
	Virginia RB's vs. Miami, Fl LB's	2.62
	Virginia OL vs. Miami, Fl DL	1.39
	Virginia DL vs. Miami, Fl OL	0.61
	Virginia LB'S vs. Miami, Fl RB's	0.24
	Virginia DB's vs. Miami, Fl QB/WR	1.60
0.03	Virginia ST's vs. Miami, Fl ST's	
1.50	Virginia K vs. Miami, Fl K	
1.15	Virginia Coaches vs. Miami, Fl Coaches	
3.54	Virginia Pts vs. Miami, Fl Pts	6.45

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Miami, Fl

By 2.91 Points

Miami, Fl Hurricanes

Hurricanes Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	133	158	14	1	9/4	† Alabama	13-44	L	5	17	31	8	1	1
0-1	1-0	0-0	0-0	131	128	22		9/11	Appalachian St	25-23	W	8	27	27	26	22	29
1-1	2-0	0-0	1-0	131	128	24		9/18	Michigan St	17-38	L	13	31	49	35	84	113
1-2		0-0		126	86			9/25	Central Conn St	69-0	W	57	50	43			
2-2	2-2	0-0	0-2	130	128			10/2	Virginia			24	36	46	49	100	96
								10/9	Bye								
	2-2		1-2		134			10/16	at North Carolina						17	63	99
	3-1		1-0		134			10/23	NC State						44	10	92
	3-1		0-0		127			10/30	at Pittsburgh						21	33	56
	2-2		1-1		128			11/6	Georgia Tech						58	66	112
	0-4		0-2		120			11/13	at Florida St						50	49	82
	3-1		1-0		127			11/20	Virginia Tech						99	21	32
	3-1		0-0		117			11/27	at Duke						15	97	22

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
† Alabama	13-44	-235	-10	-2	18	31-87	2.8	23-31	179	4	28	38-147	3.9	28-39	354	1
Appalachian St	25-23	49	6	1	25	43-175	4.1	20-33	200	2	19	39-127	3.3	21-34	199	1
Michigan St	17-38	-14	6	0	29	24-52	2.2	38-60	388	3	23	41-193	4.7	18-31	261	3
Central Conn St	69-0	541	20	1	31	45-322	7.2	21-25	417	3	11	26-29	1.1	19-37	169	3
Virginia																
Bye																
at North Carolina																
NC State																
at Pittsburgh																
Georgia Tech																
at Florida St																
Virginia Tech																
at Duke																
Average	31-26	85.3	5.5	-1.0	26	36-159	4.4	68.5%	296	8.1%	20	36-124	3.4	61.0%	246	5.7%
Conference	0-0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Home	37-20	192.0	10.7	-0.7	28	37-183	4.9	66.9%	335	6.8%	18	35-116	3.3	56.9%	210	6.9%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Virginia	-	54.5	14	18	35-185	16-32-181	
Miami, Fl	11	-14	19	23	48-122	21-30-322	1
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Virginia	20	43.5	9	21	31-74	25-42-252	
Miami, Fl	-	-2	17	14	25-83	16-27-182	1
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Virginia	-	47.5	16	18	41-143	12-21-92	
Miami, Fl	16	-6.5	13	16	29-149	15-29-190	0
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Virginia	-	50	28	18	28-55	28-37-384	
Miami, Fl	2	-19.5	44	15	32-148	15-28-210	1
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Virginia	-	54.5	14	14	33-82	19-34-207	
Miami, Fl	-	-10	34	20	42-222	14-29-228	2

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Projected Box Score

Virginia		Miami, Fl
	Projected Rushing	
86 yards	Virginia	Miami, Fl 202 yards
	Projected Passing	
346 yards	Virginia	Miami, Fl 318 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
432 yards	Virginia	Miami, Fl 520 yards
	Projected Final Score	
29 points	Virginia	Miami, Fl 37 points
	Experience Rankings	
84	Virginia	Miami, Fl 8
	Team Schedule Strength	
38	Virginia	Miami, Fl 45

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Miami, Fl By 5.5
Las Vegas Total	62.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Miami, Fl By 6.5
Game Grade	Miami, Fl By 0.0
Computer Yards	Miami, Fl 520-432
Computer Points	Miami, Fl 37-29
Phil Steele	Miami, Fl by 7

Phil's Forecast:

Miami has won 5 of the last 6 meetings. The home team is 8-1 SU in this series and has covered 3 in a row. The underdog is 12-4-1 with 8 outright upsets in ACC meetings. Miami is 8-2 SU/7-3 in ACC home openers. UVA has lost last 5 trips to Coral Gables including last year when on a rainy day, Miami hit 32 and then 43 yd passes (2nd for TD) and led 7-0 :28 in and never trailed. Miami led 10-7 H and settled for 20 yd FG 3Q 13-7 then went 80/12 for TD 12:04 left 19-7 (2 pt ng). Virginia hit a 35 yd TD pass with 5:27 left for 19-14 final. Last week Wake scored on its first 7 poss and led 20-3 at half and won their 5th in a row over Virginia 37-17. Virg got 93 yds in final 2:55. QB Brennan Armstrong is hitting 67% with a 13-3 ratio and throwing for 431 ypg! Miami is a disappointing 2-2 SU and 0-3 ATS vs FBS foes. Last week Miami was off a loss and -46 and led 49-0 at half and won 69-0 with a 739-198 yard edge with frosh QB's Van Dyke and Garcia filling in for an injured D'Eriq King. The pressure is mounting on Manny Diaz and with a tough schedule remaining this is a must win. Diaz is 9-4 SU at home. While both teams enter 2-2 Virginia is 0-2 in the ACC and Miami still has solid Coastal hopes and the Cavs defense actually had a streak of allowing point on 13 straight possessions in their two ACC games. HC Mendenhall is just 6-22 SU away from home.

Miami, FL 37 Virginia 30

Houston Cougars

Cougars Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	121	126			9/4	Texas Tech	21-38	L	73	48	3	31	45	53
0-1	0-1	0-0	0-0	118	116			9/11	at Rice	44-7	W	83	53	58	122	102	103
1-1		0-0		123	84			9/18	Grambling St	45-0	W	94	46	20			
2-1	0-2	0-0	0-0	123	113			9/25	Navy	28-20	W	96	45	11	128	94	130
3-1	1-3	1-0	0-0	122	122			10/2	at Tulsa			89	56	18	35	59	124
	1-3		0-0		123			10/9	at Tulane						72	106	40
								10/16	Bye								
	2-2		0-0		121			10/23	East Carolina						85	94	42
	4-0		0-0		127			10/30	SMU						6	92	105
	1-3		0-0		113			11/6	at USF						112	123	117
	2-2		0-0		107			11/13	at Temple						103	78	115
	3-1		0-0		125			11/19	Memphis						19	76	7
	0-5		0-1		96			11/27	at Connecticut						129	128	113

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Texas Tech	21-38	-125	1	-3	16	35-77	2.2	27-38	174	4	15	28-145	5.2	17-24	231	3
at Rice	44-7	181	8	3	23	35-144	4.1	23-33	249	3	15	36-126	3.5	9-19	86	4
Grambling St	45-0	320	21	0	24	45-164	3.6	18-29	258	3	3	34-53	1.6	5-12	49	3
Navy	28-20	89	5	1	20	34-120	3.5	22-31	257	2	15	52-190	3.7	4-8	98	2
at Tulsa																
at Tulane																
Bye																
East Carolina																
SMU																
at USF																
at Temple																
Memphis																
at Connecticut																
Average	35-16	116.3	8.8	0.3	21	37-126	3.4	68.7%	235	9.2%	12	38-129	3.4	55.6%	116	19.0%
Conference	28-20	89.0	5.0	1.0	20	34-120	3.5	71.0%	257	6.5%	15	52-190	3.7	50.0%	98	25.0%
Away	44-7	181.0	8.0	3.0	23	35-144	4.1	69.7%	249	9.1%	15	36-126	3.5	47.4%	86	21.1%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
3-1	1-3
vs. AAC	vs. AAC
1-0	0-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Houston		Tulsa
#98	Rush Off	#44
#64	Pass Off	#21
#93	**Total Off**	**#16**
#42	Score Off	#93
#106	Sks Allowed	#92
#53	Rush Def	#75
#3	Pass Def	#93
#5	**Total Def**	**#81**
#22	Score Def	#102
#25	Sks By	#34
#32	Ypg Diff	#42
+1	**Total TO's**	**-2**

Houston Cougars | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Tulsa Golden Hurricane**

Position by Position Edges

Houston		Tulsa
	Houston QB/WR vs. Tulsa DB's	0.31
	Houston RB's vs. Tulsa LB's	1.61
	Houston OL vs. Tulsa DL	0.89
0.58	Houston DL vs. Tulsa OL	
	Houston LB'S vs. Tulsa RB's	0.22
	Houston DB's vs. Tulsa QB/WR	0.04
7.27	Houston ST's vs. Tulsa ST's	
	Houston K vs. Tulsa K	0.15
	Houston Coaches vs. Tulsa Coaches	
7.85	Houston Pts vs. Tulsa Pts	3.22

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Houston

By 4.63 Points

Tulsa Golden Hurricane

Golden Hurricane Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		129	108			9/4	UC Davis	17-19	L	51	39	129			
0-1	1-0	0-0	0-0	124	128			9/11	at Oklahoma St	23-28	L	44	51	74	53	41	68
0-2	1-1	0-0	1-0	124	141		9	9/18	at Ohio St	20-41	L	57	52	124	1	25	54
0-3	1-2	0-0	0-0	124	108			9/25	Arkansas St	41-34	W	63	72	117	78	113	83
1-3	3-1	0-0	1-0	122	122			10/2	Houston			35	59	124	89	56	18
	3-1		0-0		125			10/9	Memphis						19	76	7
	1-3		0-0		113			10/16	at USF						112	123	117
								10/23	Bye								
	0-3		0-1		114			10/30	Navy						128	96	127
	3-0		0-0		142			11/6	at Cincinnati						52	7	80
	1-3		0-0		123			11/13	at Tulane						72	106	40
	2-2		0-0		107			11/20	Temple						103	78	115
	4-0		0-0		127			11/27	at SMU						6	92	105

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
UC Davis	17-19	49	-6	-3	19	34-247	7.3	15-28	201	3	25	46-88	1.9	28-36	311	1
at Oklahoma St	23-28	34	-1	1	18	39-123	3.2	19-27	224	2	19	43-140	3.3	15-26	173	2
at Ohio St	20-41	-7	1	-1	25	28-73	2.6	31-54	428	2	24	41-323	7.9	15-25	185	2
Arkansas St	41-34	304	6	1	26	49-308	6.3	17-25	355	3	20	26-38	1.5	23-37	321	6
Houston																
Memphis																
at USF																
Bye																
Navy																
at Cincinnati																
at Tulane																
Temple																
at SMU																
Average	25-31	95.0	0.0	-0.5	22	38-188	5.0	61.2%	302	7.5%	22	39-147	3.8	65.3%	248	8.9%
Conference	0-0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Home	29-27	176.5	0.0	-1.0	23	42-278	6.7	60.4%	278	11.3%	23	36-63	1.8	69.9%	316	9.6%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
2019							
Tulsa	-	-3	14	18	23--1	29-45-381	
Houston	-	58.5	24	12	43-131	9-13-100	3
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Tulsa	-	70	26	19	57-199	13-31-227	
Houston	-	-18	41	21	41-312	19-27-165	0
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Tulsa	-	63	45	20	53-288	9-18-128	
Houston	-	-13.5	17	25	47-146	25-41-258	-2
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Tulsa	-	71.5	31	27	35-94	27-51-365	
Houston	13	-21.5	38	30	55-268	26-34-254	-1

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Projected Box Score

	Projected Rushing		
96 yards	Houston	Tulsa	187 yards
	Projected Passing		
178 yards	Houston	Tulsa	236 yards
	Projected Yardage Total		
274 yards	Houston	Tulsa	422 yards
	Projected Final Score		
24 points	Houston	Tulsa	25 points
	Experience Rankings		
31	Houston	Tulsa	69
	Team Schedule Strength		
125	Houston	Tulsa	46

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Tulsa By 4.5
Las Vegas Total	54.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Tulsa By 3.3
Game Grade	Tulsa By 7.7
Computer Yards	Tulsa 422-274
Computer Points	Tulsa 25-24
Phil Steele	Tulsa by 5

Phil's Forecast:

Last time here ('19) the Cougars were outgained 380-231 but would find a way to win, 24-14 (+3). They did not play last year. Houston did just face the option of Navy last week and now travels on a short week. Houston led TT 21-7 at half but lost then steamrolled Rice and Grambling by an 89-7 margin. QB Tune was questionable last week and Houston was -20. Navy had major questions on offense but opened with a 76/3 play drive for 40 yd TD run. UH was SOD at Navy 15 but Marcus Jones got a 73 yd PR TD 7-7. Navy went 62/15 FG and 89/11 for a TD with :45 left in H. UH went 56/7 but with :07 left Tune ran to 21 and clock hit :00. Navy had 12-6 FD edge and led 17-7 H. UH 68/12 miss FG then 43/7, 81/7 and 26/5 (after fum) for TD's next 3 poss 28-17. 12:08 Navy 56/13 36 yd FG 6:12 but SOD own 17 2:16 in UH 28-20 win. The UH defense is holding foes to 83 ypg below their season avg. Tulsa was missing 6 starters and lost to UC Davis at home then almost upset Okla St (had 347-313 yd edge) and only trailed Ohio St 27-20 with 5:00 left. Last week Tulsa had a commanding 663-359 yard-edge but only beat Ark St 41-34. ASt had 63 yd PR TD but trail 24-14 H. On 3&G from 6 Tulsa int'd in EZ in 3Q. Ark St got a KR TD also. Up 41-34 Tulsa 1&G at 1 and took a knee :00. QB Davis Brin did throw for 428 vs Ohio St but has just a 5-5 ratio. The 0-3 hole that Tulsa opened up with makes this a very important game. Tulsa has taken on the much tougher sked (#46 vs #125).

Tulsa 25 Houston 20

Iowa Hawkeyes

Hawkeyes Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	143	141	18	17	9/4	Indiana	34-6	W	64	22	4	30	8	58
1-0	1-0	1-0	0-0	147	142	10	9	9/11	at Iowa St	27-17	W	72	16	3	4	23	69
2-0	1-1	1-0	0-0	148	124	5		9/18	Kent St	30-7	W	103	7	10	64	123	111
3-0	1-2	1-0	0-0	148	118	5		9/25	Colorado St	24-14	W	101	3	5	93	117	86
4-0	4-0	1-0	1-0	144	127	5		10/2	at Maryland			104	2	5	13	16	35
	4-0		1-0		143			10/9	Penn St						29	9	20
	3-1		1-0		128			10/16	Purdue						61	30	67
								10/23	Bye								
	1-2		0-1		135			10/30	at Wisconsin						46	4	91
	2-2		0-1		123			11/6	at Northwestern						53	86	76
	2-2		0-1		130			11/13	Minnesota						79	39	78
	1-4		1-2		121			11/20	Illinois						96	73	57
	2-3		0-2		131			11/26	at Nebraska						33	26	130

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Indiana	34-6	70	7	1	18	36-158	4.4	13-28	145	2	11	31-77	2.5	14-33	156	1
at Iowa St	27-17	-166	-10	4	11	39-67	1.7	11-21	106	4	21	27-87	3.2	24-43	252	2
Kent St	30-7	154	4	0	21	38-206	5.4	26-37	212	0	17	41-79	1.9	16-23	185	7
Colorado St	24-14	28	0	0	12	32-54	1.7	15-23	224	3	12	48-95	2.0	16-30	155	3
at Maryland																
Penn St																
Purdue																
Bye																
at Wisconsin																
at Northwestern																
Minnesota																
Illinois																
at Nebraska																
Average	29-11	21.5	0.3	1.3	16	36-121	3.3	59.6%	172	8.3%	15	37-85	2.3	54.3%	187	10.1%
Conference	34-6	70.0	7.0	1.0	18	36-158	4.4	46.4%	145	7.1%	11	31-77	2.5	42.4%	156	3.0%
Away	27-17	-166.0	-10.0	4.0	11	39-67	1.7	52.4%	106	19.0%	21	27-87	3.2	55.8%	252	4.7%

OVERALL: 4-0 / vs. BIG 10 1-0

OVERALL: 4-0 / vs. BIG 10 1-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Iowa		Maryland
#103	Rush Off	#58
#112	Pass Off	#8
#121	**Total Off**	**#12**
#69	Score Off	#30
#81	Sks Allowed	#51
#17	Rush Def	#28
#36	Pass Def	#58
#12	**Total Def**	**#40**
#3	Score Def	#8
#18	Sks By	#5
#79	Ypg Diff	#7
+5	**Total TO's**	**+3**

Iowa Hawkeyes | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Maryland Terrapins**

Position by Position Edges

Iowa		Maryland
	Iowa QB/WR vs. Maryland DB's	2.48
	Iowa RB's vs. Maryland LB's	2.16
	Iowa OL vs. Maryland DL	0.84
1.50	Iowa DL vs. Maryland OL	
1.28	Iowa LB'S vs. Maryland RB's	
0.98	Iowa DB's vs. Maryland QB/WR	
0.12	Iowa ST's vs. Maryland ST's	
2.30	Iowa K vs. Maryland K	
2.05	Iowa Coaches vs. Maryland Coaches	
8.22	Iowa Pts vs. Maryland Pts	5.49

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Iowa

By 2.73 Points

Maryland Terrapins

Terrapins Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	121	132			9/4	West Virginia	30-24	W	61	77	89	60	30	68
1-0		0-0		124				9/11	Howard	62-0	W	50	60	82			
2-0	1-2	0-0	1-0	124	121			9/18	at Illinois	20-17	W	29	44	37	89	92	57
3-0	1-2	1-0	0-0	124	124			9/25	Kent St	37-16	W	18	21	34	65	107	120
4-0	4-0	1-0	1-0	127	144		5	10/2	Iowa			13	16	35	104	2	5
	3-1		1-0		141			10/9	at Ohio St						1	20	37
								10/16	Bye								
	2-2		0-1		130			10/23	at Minnesota						79	39	78
	2-2		0-1		131			10/30	Indiana						82	37	28
	4-0		1-0		143			11/6	Penn St						29	9	20
	4-0		2-0		133			11/13	at Michigan St						27	58	87
	4-0		1-0		140			11/20	Michigan						8	19	3
	3-1		0-1		134			11/27	at Rutgers						98	23	6

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
West Virginia	30-24	171	4	4	22	44-164	3.7	26-36	332	2	18	21-48	2.3	24-40	277	3
Howard	62-0	428	24	1	32	49-227	4.6	27-32	347	1	8	20-66	3.3	12-31	80	2
at Illinois	20-17	146	5	-1	24	27-131	4.9	32-43	350	3	19	45-150	3.3	10-26	185	6
Kent St	37-16	68	-4	-1	23	28-142	5.1	31-41	384	1	27	47-150	3.2	19-33	308	5
Iowa																
at Ohio St																
Bye																
at Minnesota																
Indiana																
Penn St																
at Michigan St																
Michigan																
at Rutgers																
Average	37-14	203.3	7.3	0.8	25	37-166	4.5	76.3%	353	4.6%	18	33-104	3.1	50.0%	213	12.3%
Conference	20-17	146.0	5.0	-1.0	24	27-131	4.9	74.4%	350	7.0%	19	45-150	3.3	38.5%	185	23.1%
Home	43-13	222.3	8.0	1.3	26	40-178	4.4	77.1%	354	3.7%	18	29-88	3.0	52.9%	222	9.6%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2018	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Iowa	19	-9	23	22	52-224	11-24-86	
Maryland	-	42.5	0	7	23-68	6-16-47	-1

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Projected Box Score

Iowa		Maryland
	Projected Rushing	
115 yards	Iowa	Maryland	55 yards
	Projected Passing	
161 yards	Iowa	Maryland	276 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
276 yards	Iowa	Maryland	331 yards
	Projected Final Score	
23 points	Iowa	Maryland	16 points
	Experience Rankings	
112	Iowa	Maryland	67
	Team Schedule Strength	
5	Iowa	Maryland	104

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Iowa By 3
Las Vegas Total	467.5Points
+/- Ratings	Iowa By 14.0
Game Grade	Iowa By 1.8
Computer Yards	Maryland 331-276
Computer Points	Iowa 23-16
Phil Steele	Iowa by 10

Phil's Forecast:

Iowa leads the series 2-1 and has won the last 2 (both in Iowa City). In their last meeting ('18), Iowa held MD to just 115 yds (200 yds below their avg) & 7 FD's and scored 14 pts off TO's in a 23-0 shutout (-9). The home team is 3-0. In their only meeting here ('14), Maryland rallied from a 14-pt deficit (scored 24 unanswered pts) and earned their 1st Big Ten home win 38-31 (-4'). The last 11 years Iowa is 20-7-1 ATS as an AF and Maryland is 11-16 ATS as a HD. Iowa opened the year 3-0 SU and ATS and playing to an AGG of 116.1 #8). Last week Colo St led 14-7 H but Iowa won their 10th straight game. Iowa 43 yd TD pass, 7-0 but Colo St 35/9 TD (after 22 yd punt) 62 yd IR 23/4 TD led 14-7 H. Colo St fmbl start 3Q and Iowa 6/1 TD then 41/3 TD 21-14 6:01 3Q. CST had 19 plays 32 yds in 3Q and SOD 41. Down 24-14 4Q CSU SOD Iowa 42 and on 4&26 at own 4 :54 left. Iowa has 26 straight games holding foes to 24 or less. Maryland is undefeated with an offense that is averaging 517 ypg and Taulia Tagovailoa is hitting 76% with a 10-1 ratio. Iowa's D is holding foes to 166 ypg below their season avg. Last week in the 1H Kent St had two TD's called back on penalty and settled for 3 FG. Kent had the ball in MD territory on 7 of first 8 poss's but managed just 9 points! They fumbled at the 11 were SOD 4 times including at the 16 & 9 yard lines. MD led 24-9 at half and won 37-16 with Kent having 27-23 FD and MD a slim 526-458 yard-edge. Iowa has taken on the #5 sked and MD just #104! The Hawkeyes will be well focused for this are the better team and have proven they can win on the road.

Best Bet: ★ Iowa 27 Maryland 17

BYU Cougars

Cougars Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	132	116			9/4	† Arizona	24-16	W	57	78	8	103	106	102
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	130	137		21	9/11	Utah	26-17	W	45	74	30	20	10	107
2-0	2-0	0-0	0-0	133	132	23	19	9/18	Arizona St	27-17	W	54	75	40	17	27	9
3-0	1-2	0-0	0-0	134	109	15		9/25	USF	35-27	W	76	88	25	116	120	116
4-0	3-1	0-0	1-1	130	116	13		10/2	at Utah St			63	101	31	38	103	34
	2-2		1-0		131			10/9	Boise St						91	61	4
	4-0		2-0		135			10/16	at Baylor						12	35	30
	1-3		0-2		121			10/23	at Washington St						92	68	64
	2-2		0-2		128			10/30	Virginia						49	100	96
								11/6	Idaho St								
								11/13	Bye								
	1-3		0-1		111			11/20	at GA Southern						113	121	63
	2-2		1-2		129			11/27	USC						37	41	33

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
† Arizona	24-16	-58	-9	1	18	34-161	4.7	19-29	207	1	27	35-81	2.3	36-48	345	4
Utah	26-17	28	6	2	21	46-219	4.8	18-30	149	0	15	25-193	7.7	15-26	147	2
Arizona St	27-17	-65	4	2	23	39-144	3.7	16-28	217	2	19	33-161	4.9	21-29	265	2
USF	35-27	76	-2	0	21	25-138	5.5	20-25	305	0	23	8-181	22.6	17-24	186	1
at Utah St																
Boise St																
at Baylor																
at Washington St																
Virginia																
Idaho St																
Bye																
at GA Southern																
USC																
Average	28-19	-4.8	-0.3	1.3	21	36-166	4.6	65.2%	220	2.7%	21	25-154	6.1	70.1%	236	7.1%
Conference	26-17	-31.7	0.3	1.7	21	40-175	4.4	60.9%	191	3.4%	20	31-145	4.7	69.9%	252	7.8%
Away	24-16	-58.0	-9.0	1.0	18	34-161	4.7	65.5%	207	3.4%	27	35-81	2.3	75.0%	345	8.3%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
4-0	3-1
vs. IND	vs. MTW
0-0	1-1

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

BYU		Utah St
#61	Rush Off	#23
#77	Pass Off	#13
#77	**Total Off**	**#10**
#75	Score Off	#56
#8	Sks Allowed	#38
#80	Rush Def	#111
#82	Pass Def	#105
#76	**Total Def**	**#120**
#40	Score Def	#97
#58	Sks By	#94
#91	Ypg Diff	#55
+5	**Total TO's**	**-1**

BYU Cougars | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Utah St Aggies**

Position by Position Edges

BYU		Utah St
1.39	BYU QB/WR vs. Utah St DB's	
	BYU RB's vs. Utah St LB's	0.85
0.21	BYU OL vs. Utah St DL	
	BYU DL vs. Utah St OL	0.67
	BYU LB'S vs. Utah St RB's	0.09
	BYU DB's vs. Utah St QB/WR	1.31
	BYU ST's vs. Utah St ST's	0.52
0.10	BYU K vs. Utah St K	
1.65	BYU Coaches vs. Utah St Coaches	
3.35	BYU Pts vs. Utah St Pts	3.44

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Utah St

By 0.09 Points

Utah St Aggies

Aggies Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	110	133			9/4	at Washington St	26-23	W	101	100	24	42	91	128
1-0		0-0		115				9/11	North Dakota	48-24	W	102	90	53			
2-0	2-0	0-0	0-0	117	124			9/18	at Air Force	49-45	W	73	87	47	91	99	126
3-0	1-2	1-0	0-0	120	127			9/25	Boise St	3-27	L	41	103	31	94	76	2
3-1	4-0	1-1	0-0	116	130		13	10/1	BYU			38	103	34	63	101	31
								10/9	Bye								
	0-4		0-1		108			10/16	at UNLV						124	124	104
	1-3		0-0		122			10/23	Colorado St						111	115	89
	2-3		0-1		114			10/30	Hawaii						76	69	70
	1-4		0-0		95			11/6	at New Mexico St						126	126	52
	2-2		1-0		117			11/13	at San Jose St						115	46	79
	4-0		0-0		120			11/20	Wyoming						93	62	73
	2-2		0-0		107			11/27	at New Mexico						107	57	86

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Washington St	26-23	81	5	-1	25	46-222	4.8	23-36	219	0	20	26-149	5.7	20-35	211	2
North Dakota	48-24	182	-1	1	23	38-217	5.7	23-37	404	1	24	24-65	2.7	32-46	374	1
at Air Force	49-45	9	3	1	26	39-180	4.6	31-50	448	2	23	63-437	6.9	6-12	182	1
Boise St	3-27	8	-7	-2	18	42-235	5.6	13-31	208	3	25	42-148	3.5	22-39	287	2
BYU																
Bye																
at UNLV																
Colorado St																
Hawaii																
at New Mexico St																
at San Jose St																
Wyoming																
at New Mexico																
Average	32-30	70.0	0.0	-0.3	23	41-214	5.2	58.4%	320	3.9%	23	39-200	5.2	60.6%	264	4.5%
Conference	26-36	8.5	-2.0	-0.5	22	41-208	5.1	54.3%	328	6.2%	24	53-293	5.6	54.9%	235	5.9%
Home	26-26	95.0	-4.0	-0.5	21	40-226	5.7	52.9%	306	5.9%	25	33-107	3.2	63.5%	331	3.5%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2019	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Utah St	-	-3.5	14	26	33-127	29-49-394	
BYU	-	50.5	42	31	42-221	23-33-418	2
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Utah St	-	55.5	45	19	42-223	18-28-165	
BYU	-	-2.5	20	23	16-39	30-49-322	-3
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Utah St	-	48.5	40	14	44-112	16-30-176	
BYU	-	-1	24	20	46-210	12-29-186	-6
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Utah St	-	53.5	10	11	28-97	12-23-103	
BYU	-	-17	28	26	54-249	11-22-106	0

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Projected Box Score

	BYU	Utah St	
Projected Rushing			
172 yards	BYU	Utah St	162 yards
Projected Passing			
275 yards	BYU	Utah St	332 yards
Projected Yardage Total			
446 yards	BYU	Utah St	494 yards
Projected Final Score			
33 points	BYU	Utah St	25 points
Experience Rankings			
119	BYU	Utah St	39
Team Schedule Strength			
28	BYU	Utah St	60

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Byu By 8.5
Las Vegas Total	62 Points
+/- Ratings	Byu By 9.8
Game Grade	Byu By 0.5
Computer Yards	Utah St 494-446
Computer Points	Byu 33-25
Phil Steele	Byu by 11

Phil's Forecast:

BYU has won 3 straight true road openers SU & ATS. Last time here ('19) BYU was a dog in the series for first time s/'13 but won 42-14 (+3'). The Cougars are 16-4 vs Aggies since 1994 but just 3-3 SU & ATS since 2014. First met in 1922 but since 1948 these in-state foes have played for the "Old Wagon Wheel". Utah St trails the series 49-37-3. There have been three straight outright upsets in this series. Kilane Sitake is 7-8 ATS as an AF. BYU opened the year a perfect 3-0 vs the Pac 12 South pulling upsets of Utah and Ariz St at home. Last week QB Hall out for BYU Romney and he hit 20-25-305 with his brother Gunner 5-199 rec. BYU avg 8.9 yards per play. BYU score TD's first 3 drives and led 28-6 at half with 279-153 yd edge. USF actually went 75/14, 54/6 and 94/19 for TD's on only 3 poss of 2H while BYU got TD and 70/9 but 22 yd FG block and USF only lost 35-27. Jarren Hall is hitting 60% with a 7-2 ratio and Tyler Allgeier has rushed for 341 (4.3). They are allowing 390 ypg on defense. Utah St also pulled two upsets to open the year as they trailed in all 3 games but bagged upsets of Wash St and Air Force with late comebacks. Last week they hosted Boise and In a game played at 10 am Utah St had a 317-265 yd edge at H but trailed 10-0 as they were int at 43, SOD 35, miss 41 yd FG, int at 1. Boise got 18/3 TD after fum by P and up 17-3 Boise got a FG and went 15/9 for TD after a fumble, 27-3. Coach Anderson has brought his offense with him from Arkansas St and QB Logan Bonner has hit 60% with a 7-5 ratio and BYU is allowing 70% completions. The Aggies D is allowing foes 108 ypg above their season avg and 463 ypg. BYU has taken on the #28 schedule and Utah St is #60. The Cougars move to 5-0 with a solid road win.

BYU 35 Utah St 24

Syracuse Orangemen

Orangemen Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	121	123			9/4	at Ohio	29-9	W	84	68	18	88	110	54
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	126	132			9/11	Rutgers	7-17	L	81	75	12	106	46	10
1-1		0-0		125				9/18	Albany	62-24	W	95	73	110			
2-1	3-0	0-0	0-0	127	131			9/25	Liberty	24-21	W	60	78	45	69	49	109
3-1	0-4	0-0	0-2	128	120			10/2	at Florida St			60	83	55	50	49	82
	4-0		2-0		135			10/9	Wake Forest						48	42	19
	2-2		1-1		136			10/16	Clemson						69	6	93
	3-1		1-0		127			10/23	at Virginia Tech						99	21	32
	4-0		0-0		127			10/30	Boston College						34	75	27
								11/6	Bye								
	3-1		1-0		128			11/13	at Louisville						71	84	58
	3-1		1-0		134			11/20	at NC State						44	10	92
	3-1		0-0		127			11/27	Pittsburgh						21	33	56

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Ohio	29-9	37	1	1	21	44-283	6.4	12-18	100	1	20	32-134	4.2	23-31	212	0
Rutgers	7-17	63	-2	-3	14	30-67	2.2	19-32	191	5	16	43-50	1.2	22-28	145	4
Albany	62-24	488	13	-1	24	42-286	6.8	17-24	337	0	11	32-7	0.2	14-22	128	8
Liberty	24-21	-64	2	1	22	53-228	4.3	6-15	77	1	20	41-150	3.7	16-21	219	6
at Florida St																
Wake Forest																
Clemson																
at Virginia Tech																
Boston College																
Bye																
at Louisville																
at NC State																
Pittsburgh																
Average	31-18	131.0	3.5	-0.5	20	42-216	5.1	60.7%	176	7.9%	17	37-85	2.3	73.5%	176	17.6%
Conference	0-0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Away	29-9	37.0	1.0	1.0	21	44-283	6.4	66.7%	100	5.6%	20	32-134	4.2	74.2%	212	0.0%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
3-1	0-4
vs. ACC	vs. ACC
0-0	0-2

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Syracuse		Florida St
#20	Rush Off	#42
#107	Pass Off	#94
#71	**Total Off**	**#74**
#60	Score Off	#101
#51	Sks Allowed	#115
#18	Rush Def	#57
#27	Pass Def	#115
#9	**Total Def**	**#93**
#27	Score Def	#105
#1	Sks By	#9
#25	Ypg Diff	#98
-2	**Total TO's**	**-7**

Syracuse Orangemen | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Florida St Seminoles**

Position by Position Edges

Syracuse		Florida St
	Syracuse QB/WR vs. Florida St DB's	0.77
0.50	Syracuse RB's vs. Florida St LB's	
	Syracuse OL vs. Florida St DL	0.72
	Syracuse DL vs. Florida St OL	0.31
	Syracuse LB'S vs. Florida St RB's	0.28
	Syracuse DB's vs. Florida St QB/WR	0.48
0.77	Syracuse ST's vs. Florida St ST's	
1.10	Syracuse K vs. Florida St K	
0.60	Syracuse Coaches vs. Florida St Coaches	
2.97	Syracuse Pts vs. Florida St Pts	2.56

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Syracuse

By 0.41 Points

Florida St Seminoles

Seminoles Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	127	137		9	9/5	Notre Dame	38-41	L	26	37	72	20	7	13
0-1		0-0		127				9/11	Jacksonville St	17-20	L	25	36	77			
0-2	2-0	0-0	0-0	122	128			9/18	at Wake Forest	14-35	L	27	35	73	60	56	4
0-3	2-1	0-1	0-0	120	128			9/25	Louisville	23-31	L	50	51	73	72	89	71
0-4	3-1	0-2	0-0	120	128			10/2	Syracuse			50	49	82	60	83	55
	2-2		1-2		134			10/9	at North Carolina						17	63	99
								10/16	Bye								
	0-4		0-0		93			10/23	UMass						120	130	126
	2-2		1-1		136			10/30	at Clemson						69	6	93
	3-1		1-0		134			11/6	NC State						44	10	92
	2-2		0-0		130			11/13	Miami, Fl						24	36	46
	4-0		0-0		127			11/20	at Boston College						34	75	27
	3-1		1-1		138			11/27	at Florida						3	17	74

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Notre Dame	38-41	11	2	-2	19	48-264	5.5	14-26	178	5	17	35-65	1.9	26-35	366	5
Jacksonville St	17-20	-15	1	0	22	37-202	5.5	18-34	133	0	21	39-108	2.8	17-38	242	5
at Wake Forest	14-35	-167	-11	-4	16	29-91	3.1	16-22	226	3	27	58-225	3.9	22-31	259	3
Louisville	23-31	58	2	-1	23	36-205	5.7	24-39	248	6	21	41-131	3.2	25-40	264	1
Syracuse																
at North Carolina																
Bye																
UMass																
at Clemson																
NC State																
Miami, Fl																
at Boston College																
at Florida																
Average	23-32	-28.3	-1.5	-1.8	20	38-191	5.1	59.5%	196	11.6%	22	43-132	3.1	62.5%	283	9.7%
Conference	19-33	-54.5	-4.5	-2.5	20	33-148	4.6	65.6%	237	14.8%	24	50-178	3.6	66.2%	262	5.6%
Home	26-31	18.0	1.7	-1.0	21	40-224	5.5	56.6%	186	11.1%	20	38-101	2.6	60.2%	291	9.7%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2019	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Syracuse	-	59	17	21	51-192	20-33-151	
Florida St	-	-10.5	35	26	47-241	19-32-246	0
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Syracuse	-	69.5	30	25	57-222	18-31-219	
Florida St	-	-3	7	11	23-62	18-37-178	-1
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Syracuse	-	50.5	21	21	40-149	31-55-314	
Florida St	-	-6.5	24	13	37-207	12-19-136	0
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Syracuse	-	64	14	13	35-37	16-37-196	
Florida St	17	-21.5	45	33	45-334	19-31-320	-2

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Projected Box Score

Syracuse		Florida St
	Projected Rushing	
156 yards	Syracuse	Florida St 182 yards
	Projected Passing	
196 yards	Syracuse	Florida St 210 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
352 yards	Syracuse	Florida St 391 yards
	Projected Final Score	
26 points	Syracuse	Florida St 28 points
	Experience Rankings	
36	Syracuse	Florida St 79
	Team Schedule Strength	
92	Syracuse	Florida St 24

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Florida St By 4.5
Las Vegas Total	51 Points
+/- Ratings	Syracuse By 3.8
Game Grade	Syracuse By 3.8
Computer Yards	Florida St 391-352
Computer Points	Florida St 28-26
Phil Steele	Florida St by 7

Phil's Forecast:

Noles are 6-0 SU/5-1 ATS all-time when hosting Syracuse (avg MOV 26 ppg). The 'Noles are 5-2 SU/ATS at home vs ACC Atlantic foes the last 4 years. The Orange are 0-6 SU in ACC Road Openers. Last time here in '19 the Orange were off B2B close losses. They trailed 13-0 1Q and 35-3 3Q then Syracuse got 2 garbage time TD's. Dino Babers is 8-19 SU on the road but 17-10 ATS while FSU is 9-16 ATS as a HF the last 6 years. Florida St took Notre Dame to OT but then lost on a Hail Mary pass vs Jacksonville St and were -4 TO's vs a strong Wake Forest. Last week Louisville dominated on the road leading 31-7 with 1:49 left in the half and FSU got a 23 yd TD pass 1:08 left H then a Corbin 75 yd run on the 2nd play 3Q 31-20. FSU miss 47 yd FG SOD at own 44, got 45 yd FG and SOD UL 37. Down 31-23 FSU at 46 int'd at UL 5 :48 left. Florida St opened 0-4 for first time since 1974 two years before Bobby Bowden arrived. Syracuse got easy wins vs Ohio and Albany and a 10 point loss to Rutgers to open. Last week Shrader got his first start at QB for Syracuse but hit just 6-15 passes but ran 15 times with 2 TD's. Tied 21-21 Liberty went for it on 4&G at 1 and was SOD. Liberty forced a punt but QB Willis fumbled at own 30 4:00 Syr 35 yd FG :00 win. FSU has taken on the much tougher schedule (#24 vs #92). Two embattled coaches square off here but I like the desperate home squad here.

Florida St 30 Syracuse 23

Duke Blue Devils

Blue Devils Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	114	108			9/4	at Charlotte	28-31	L	105	102	11	121	113	103
0-1		0-0		112				9/11	North Carolina A&T	48-17	W	80	104	45			
1-1	1-1	0-0	0-1	114	124			9/18	Northwestern	30-23	W	55	100	21	92	72	48
2-1	1-2	0-0	0-1	117	105			9/25	Kansas	52-33	W	25	86	17	127	122	85
3-1	2-2	0-0	1-2	117	134			10/2	at North Carolina			15	97	22	17	63	99
	2-2		1-1		128			10/9	Georgia Tech						58	66	112
	2-2		0-2		128			10/16	at Virginia						49	100	96
								10/23	Bye								
	4-0		2-0		135			10/30	at Wake Forest						48	42	19
	3-1		0-0		127			11/6	Pittsburgh						21	33	56
	3-1		1-0		127			11/13	at Virginia Tech						99	21	32
	3-1		1-0		128			11/20	Louisville						71	84	58
	2-2		0-0		130			11/27	Miami, Fl						24	36	46

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Charlotte	28-31	102	3	-2	23	44-352	8.0	20-29	228	3	20	40-154	3.9	19-30	324	1
North Carolina A&T	45-17	169	5	0	24	38-150	3.9	22-33	283	1	19	48-208	4.3	12-21	56	0
Northwestern	30-23	151	4	2	26	53-208	3.9	32-45	350	1	22	32-147	4.6	19-39	260	2
Kansas	52-33	77	6	0	27	52-279	5.4	22-29	328	0	21	40-207	5.2	19-32	323	1
at North Carolina																
Georgia Tech																
at Virginia																
Bye																
at Wake Forest																
Pittsburgh																
at Virginia Tech																
Louisville																
Miami, Fl																
Average	39-26	124.8	4.5	0.0	25	47-247	5.3	70.6%	297	3.7%	21	40-179	4.5	56.6%	241	3.3%
Conference	0-0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Away	28-31	102.0	3.0	-2.0	23	44-352	8.0	69.0%	228	10.3%	20	40-154	3.9	63.3%	324	3.3%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
3-1	2-2
vs. ACC	vs. ACC
0-0	1-2

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Duke		North Carolina
#13	Rush Off	#33
#24	Pass Off	#19
#8	**Total Off**	**#15**
#20	Score Off	#29
#23	Sks Allowed	#122
#98	Rush Def	#76
#89	Pass Def	#83
#97	**Total Def**	**#75**
#80	Score Def	#94
#113	Sks By	#119
#27	Ypg Diff	#29
0	**Total TO's**	**-3**

Duke Blue Devils | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **North Carolina Tar Heels**

Position by Position Edges

Duke		North Carolina
0.07	Duke QB/WR vs. North Carolina DB's	
1.14	Duke RB's vs. North Carolina LB's	
0.52	Duke OL vs. North Carolina DL	
	Duke DL vs. North Carolina OL	0.61
	Duke LB'S vs. North Carolina RB's	0.41
	Duke DB's vs. North Carolina QB/WR	1.78
1.24	Duke ST's vs. North Carolina ST's	
0.75	Duke K vs. North Carolina K	
0.50	Duke Coaches vs. North Carolina Coaches	
4.22	Duke Pts vs. North Carolina Pts	2.81

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Duke

By 1.41 Points

North Carolina Tar Heels

Tar Heels Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	136	125	10		9/4	at Virginia Tech	10-17	L	9	35	43	76	23	77
0-1	0-1	0-1	0-0	132	117	24		9/11	Georgia St	59-17	W	13	38	98	78	105	114
1-1	2-0	0-1	0-0	136	136	21		9/18	Virginia	59-39	W	8	38	88	71	77	85
2-1	1-2	1-1	0-1	139	123	21		9/25	at Georgia Tech	22-45	L	6	47	89	68	83	111
2-2	3-1	1-2	0-0	134	117			10/2	Duke			17	63	99	15	97	22
	0-4		0-2		120			10/9	Florida St						50	49	82
	2-2		0-0		130			10/16	Miami, Fl						24	36	46
								10/23	Bye								
	4-0		0-0		140			10/30	at Notre Dame						68	5	23
	4-0		2-0		135			11/6	Wake Forest						48	42	19
	3-1		0-0		127			11/13	at Pittsburgh						21	33	56
								11/20	Wofford								
	3-1		1-0		134			11/27	at NC State						44	10	92

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Virginia Tech	10-17	58	1	-1	18	30-146	4.9	17-33	208	6	17	43-127	3.0	12-19	169	1
Georgia St	59-17	336	12	0	28	40-201	5.0	23-31	406	2	16	45-181	4.0	14-30	90	1
Virginia	59-39	125	8	1	35	47-392	8.3	14-21	307	1	27	22-21	1.0	40-57	553	0
at Georgia Tech	22-45	-25	-1	-3	18	35-63	1.8	25-39	306	8	19	43-261	6.1	13-19	133	1
Duke																
Florida St																
Miami, Fl																
Bye																
at Notre Dame																
Wake Forest																
at Pittsburgh																
Wofford																
at NC State																
Average	38-30	123.5	5.0	-0.8	25	38-201	5.3	63.7%	307	13.7%	20	38-148	3.9	63.2%	236	2.4%
Conference	30-34	52.7	2.7	-1.0	24	37-200	5.4	60.2%	274	16.1%	21	36-136	3.8	68.4%	285	2.1%
Home	59-28	230.5	10.0	0.5	32	44-297	6.8	71.2%	357	5.8%	22	34-101	3.0	62.1%	322	1.1%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Duke	-	62.5	24	26	42-185	18-32-226	
North Carolina	-	-11.5	56	30	47-338	19-28-235	1
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Duke	-	53.5	17	22	37-100	22-43-229	
North Carolina	-	-3.5	20	22	45-205	10-26-227	0
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Duke	-	-8.5	42	29	35-268	31-54-361	
North Carolina	-	58.5	35	25	37-315	27-44-221	3
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Duke	-	-1	27	20	45-186	18-34-202	
North Carolina	-	60	17	15	33-118	17-32-259	-1
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Duke	-	66.5	28	27	55-227	22-34-240	
North Carolina	15	-11.5	27	23	27-106	24-33-297	-2

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing		
142 yards	Duke	North Carolina 259 yards
Projected Passing		
237 yards	Duke	North Carolina 365 yards
Projected Yardage Total		
379 yards	Duke	North Carolina 625 yards
Projected Final Score		
28 points	Duke	North Carolina 48 points
Experience Rankings		
116	Duke	North Carolina 70
Team Schedule Strength		
122	Duke	North Carolina 11

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	N Carolina By 20
Las Vegas Total	72.5 Points
+/- Ratings	N Carolina By 20.8
Game Grade	N Carolina By 23.2
Computer Yards	N Carolina 625-379
Computer Points	N Carolina 48-28
Phil Steele	N Carolina by 25

Phil's Forecast:

Duke has won 2 of the last 4 road trips to Chapel Hill but did lose last time here in '19. Duke trailed 20-17 got a TO at the Duke 6, drove to the NC 5 but tried a trick play and was int'd in the final minute and NC won 20-17 (-3'). Mack Brown is 2-0 in the Battle for the Victory Bell. Duke won 5 of 7 meetings between '12-'18. The Tar Heels own 61-41-4 all-time series edge. The home team is 1-3 SU/0-4 ATS. Last year, NC was unranked for first time all year and scored TD's on first 7 possessions and had a 196-17 yd edge after 1Q leading 42-10 at half in 56-24 win (-11') on the road. NC lost at Vtech to open the year but then rolled over Georgia St and Virginia by 31 ppg and +226 ypg. Last week Sam Howell was sacked 8 times and fumbled twice and off B2B 100 yd rush games had 8 yds rush. GT had 71 yds on 5 poss with Yates at QB then Sims off the bench led them to 323 yds. NC led 7-0 then 7-6 and missed 53 yd FG. NC fmbl and GT 17/2 for TD lead 13-7 2:51 and NC 11-5 FD H. NC SOD own 41 GT 39/3 TD. Each team 2 TD's 35-22 GT 52/12 31 yd FG NC fmbl GT 53/2 Sims 50 yd run TD 1:13, 45-22. Duke had a 580-476 yard-edge but lost at Charlotte but have now won 3 in a row and Gunner Holmberg is hitting 72% with a 3-2 ratio. Last week Kansas went 75/10 for TD 1:04 left to lead 24-21 H. KU 62 yd run 1st play 3Q but 29 yd FG. Duke then scored 4 TD and FG next 5 poss to lead 52-33, 5:23. KU 64/13 4&G 1 int in EZ 2:34 left. KU 53/6 to Duke 13 at end. Mataeo Durant has rushed for 522 (6.0) and Ty Chandler has rushed for 370 (6.0). The key to this one is that North Carolina 4-0 ATS off a loss with wins by 27, 32, 40 & 42 and NC has faced the much tougher schedule (#11 vs #122).

North Carolina 49 Duke 24

Tulane Green Wave

Green Wave Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	TEAM OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	127	149		2	9/4	at Oklahoma	35-40	L	69	72	73	1	3	22
0-1		0-0		131				9/11	Morgan St	69-20	W	76	71	92			
1-1	2-0	0-0	0-0	129	141		17	9/18	at Mississippi	21-61	L	65	71	33	3	43	38
1-2	2-1	0-0	1-0	125	126			9/25	UAB	21-28	L	67	98	32	82	27	96
1-3	2-2	0-0	0-0	123	121			10/2	at East Carolina			72	106	40	85	94	42
	3-1		1-0		122			10/9	Houston						89	56	18
								10/16	Bye								
	4-0		0-0		127			10/23	at SMU						6	92	105
	3-0		0-0		142			10/30	Cincinnati						52	7	80
	2-1		0-0		128			11/6	at UCF						7	70	107
	1-3		0-0		122			11/13	Tulsa						35	59	124
	1-3		0-0		113			11/20	USF						112	123	117
	3-1		0-0		125			11/27	at Memphis						19	76	7

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Oklahoma	35-40	-34	0	-1	24	32-100	3.1	27-45	296	4	24	35-116	3.3	31-40	314	1
Morgan St	69-20	356	18	1	32	49-294	6.0	21-34	290	0	14	33-44	1.3	17-29	184	5
at Mississippi	21-61	-402	-27	0	14	38-139	3.7	10-18	166	2	41	61-372	6.1	23-33	335	2
UAB	21-28	-38	-1	-2	24	28-90	3.2	28-50	305	0	25	48-193	4.0	19-27	240	3
at East Carolina																
Houston																
Bye																
at SMU																
Cincinnati																
at UCF																
Tulsa																
USF																
at Memphis																
Average	37-37	-29.5	-2.5	-0.5	24	37-156	4.2	58.5%	264	4.1%	26	44-181	4.1	69.8%	268	8.5%
Conference	0-0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Away	28-51	-218.0	-13.5	-0.5	19	35-120	3.4	58.7%	231	9.5%	33	48-244	5.1	74.0%	325	4.1%

OVERALL: 1-3 vs. AAC 0-0

OVERALL: 2-2 vs. AAC 0-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Tulane		East Carolina
#76	Rush Off	#90
#46	Pass Off	#39
#56	**Total Off**	**#64**
#33	Score Off	#80
#38	Sks Allowed	#118
#99	Rush Def	#88
#108	Pass Def	#124
#112	**Total Def**	**#126**
#122	Score Def	#97
#34	Sks By	#45
#99	Ypg Diff	#110
-2	**Total TO's**	**+1**

Tulane Green Wave | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **East Carolina Pirates**

Position by Position Edges

Tulane		East Carolina
0.42	Tulane QB/WR vs. East Carolina DB's	
	Tulane RB's vs. East Carolina LB's	0.42
0.39	Tulane OL vs. East Carolina DL	
0.25	Tulane DL vs. East Carolina OL	
0.56	Tulane LB'S vs. East Carolina RB's	
	Tulane DB's vs. East Carolina QB/WR	1.23
0.22	Tulane ST's vs. East Carolina ST's	
1.00	Tulane K vs. East Carolina K	
0.55	Tulane Coaches vs. East Carolina Coaches	
3.40	Tulane Pts vs. East Carolina Pts	1.66

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO: Tulane By 1.74 Points

East Carolina Pirates

Pirates Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	TEAM OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	128	126			9/4	Appalachian St	19-33	L	56	95	44	37	25	28
0-1	1-0	0-0	0-0	126	119			9/11	South Carolina	17-20	L	60	100	36	40	78	56
0-2	2-0	0-0	0-0	125	116			9/18	at Marshall	42-38	W	85	97	67	44	68	66
1-2		0-0		125				9/25	Charleston Southern	31-28	W	88	102	70			
2-2	1-3	0-0	0-0	121	123			10/2	Tulane			85	94	42	72	106	40
	2-1		0-0		128			10/9	at UCF						7	70	107
								10/16	Bye								
	3-1		1-0		122			10/23	at Houston						89	56	18
	1-3		0-0		113			10/30	USF						112	123	117
	2-2		0-0		107			11/6	Temple						103	78	115
	3-1		0-0		125			11/13	at Memphis						19	76	7
	0-3		0-1		114			11/20	at Navy						128	96	127
	3-0		0-0		142			11/27	Cincinnati						52	7	80

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Appalachian St	19-33	-89	-5	-1	20	24-96	4.0	22-41	300	4	25	36-226	6.3	20-27	259	1
South Carolina	17-20	-60	-3	1	12	38-111	2.9	12-25	152	5	15	39-109	2.8	13-24	214	3
at Marshall	42-38	-76	3	2	27	39-176	4.5	31-50	395	5	24	36-214	5.9	24-40	433	1
Charleston Southern	31-28	-148	-20	-1	14	33-150	4.5	17-26	238	1	34	39-131	3.4	38-61	405	5
Tulane																
at UCF																
Bye																
at Houston																
USF																
Temple																
at Memphis																
at Navy																
Cincinnati																
Average	27-30	-93.3	-6.3	0.3	18	34-133	4.0	57.7%	271	10.6%	25	38-170	4.5	62.5%	328	6.6%
Conference	0-0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Home	22-27	-99.0	-9.3	-0.3	15	32-119	3.8	55.4%	230	10.9%	25	38-155	4.1	63.4%	293	8.0%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Tulane	-	-3	38	24	34-277	22-34-216	
East Carolina	-	62.5	21	20	29-35	27-43-351	0
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Tulane	-	-11.5	24	17	49-163	12-28-372	
East Carolina	-	53.5	18	23	26-90	21-68-360	0
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Tulane	-	-5.5	31	22	52-325	12-20-121	
East Carolina	-	62.5	24	24	32-161	25-53-228	2

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Projected Box Score

	Projected Rushing	
171 yards	Tulane	East Carolina 175 yards
	Projected Passing	
268 yards	Tulane	East Carolina 308 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
438 yards	Tulane	East Carolina 483 yards
	Projected Final Score	
35 points	Tulane	East Carolina 39 points
	Experience Rankings	
63	Tulane	East Carolina 25
	Team Schedule Strength	
83	Tulane	East Carolina 63

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Tulane By 4
Las Vegas Total	64.5 Points
+/- Ratings	E Carolina By 1.3
Game Grade	Tulane By 2.0
Computer Yards	E Carolina 483-438
Computer Points	E Carolina 39-35
Phil Steele	E Carolina by 6

Phil's Forecast:

Pirates have lost 4 of their last 5 meetings vs Tulane. The Pirates have put up good passing numbers of 351 & 360 yds the last 2 meetings but have lost both. Tulane has only won 2 of their last 5 AAC openers. Last time here ('20) Green Wave were off a big home victory against Temple (38-3) & were looking to keep momentum rolling. Tulane never trailed & won 38-21 (-3). Tulane only lost to Oklahoma by 5, beat an FCS school and then were whipped by Ole Miss. Last week I used UAB as my Phil Steele Plus Game of the week and for the 7th time in 8 years the underdog won outright in this series. UAB led 21-0 and Tulane got TD 1;57 left to only lose by 7 with UAB having a 433-295 yd edge. East Carolina lost at home to both App St and South Carolina but got a needed upset of Marshall to keep bowl hopes alive. Last week they trailed Charleston Southern 14-0 early but led 24-14 H and 31-13 with CSthrn pulling to 31-28 with 1:49 left. East Carolina has taken on the tougher schedule (#63 vs #83) My computer has EC with the yardage edge and winning outright so the wrong team is favored here.

Best Bet: ★ East Carolina 37 (+) Tulane 31

Boston College Eagles

Eagles Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		129				9/4	Colgate	51-0	W	24	64	45			
1-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	128	93			9/11	at UMass	45-28	W	24	73	37	127	130	121
2-0	1-1	0-0	0-0	125	110			9/18	at Temple	28-3	W	37	86	11	112	102	129
3-0	2-1	0-0	0-1	127	124			9/25	Missouri	41-34	W	36	75	13	20	80	16
4-0	2-2	0-0	1-1	127	136		25	10/2	at Clemson			34	75	27	69	6	93
								10/9	Bye								
	3-1		1-0		134			10/16	NC State						44	10	92
	3-1		1-0		128			10/23	at Louisville						71	84	58
	3-1		0-0		128			10/30	at Syracuse						60	83	55
	3-1		1-0		127			11/6	Virginia Tech						99	21	32
	2-2		1-1		128			11/13	at Georgia Tech						58	66	112
	0-4		0-2		120			11/20	Florida St						50	49	82
	4-0		2-0		135			11/27	Wake Forest						48	42	19

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Colgate	51-0	336	13	2	25	35-178	5.1	21-30	347	0	12	35-105	3.0	10-19	84	2
at UMass	45-28	136	4	1	24	43-250	5.8	14-18	221	0	20	30-121	4.0	14-29	214	0
at Temple	28-3	-18	0	-1	13	35-187	5.3	5-13	34	0	13	36-78	2.2	17-24	161	4
Missouri	41-34	59	1	1	23	49-275	5.6	18-29	175	1	22	23-88	3.8	30-42	303	0
at Clemson																
Bye																
NC State																
at Louisville																
at Syracuse																
Virginia Tech																
at Georgia Tech																
Florida St																
Wake Forest																
Average	41-16	128.3	4.5	0.8	21	41-223	5.5	64.4%	194	1.1%	17	31-98	3.2	62.3%	191	5.3%
Conference	0-0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Away	37-16	59.0	2.0	0.0	19	39-219	5.6	61.3%	128	0.0%	17	33-100	3.0	58.5%	188	7.5%

OVERALL: 4-0 vs. ACC 0-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Boston College		Clemson
#18	Rush Off	#98
#97	Pass Off	#114
#58	**Total Off**	**#120**
#15	Score Off	#104
#3	Sks Allowed	#81
#25	Rush Def	#45
#41	Pass Def	#30
#19	**Total Def**	**#25**
#22	Score Def	#5
#94	Sks By	#58
#26	Ypg Diff	#90
+3	**Total TO's**	**-2**

Boston College Eagles | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Clemson Tigers**

Position by Position Edges

Boston College		Clemson
	Boston College QB/WR vs. Clemson DB's	1.73
	Boston College RB's vs. Clemson LB's	0.94
	Boston College OL vs. Clemson DL	0.23
	Boston College DL vs. Clemson OL	0.09
0.24	Boston College LB'S vs. Clemson RB's	
0.56	Boston College DB's vs. Clemson QB/WR	
0.49	Boston College ST's vs. Clemson ST's	
	Boston College K vs. Clemson K	3.50
	Boston College Coaches vs. Clemson Coaches	2.60
1.30	Boston College Pts vs. Clemson Pts	9.09

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Clemson

By 7.79 Points

Clemson Tigers

Tigers Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	146	145	3	5	9/4	† Georgia	3-10	L	6	2	67	3	4	2
0-1		0-0		143		6		9/11	South Carolina St	49-3	W	10	2	93			
1-1	1-1	0-0	0-0	142	120	6		9/18	Georgia Tech	14-8	W	16	2	89	53	64	81
2-1	2-1	1-0	0-0	139	131	9		9/25	at NC State	21-27	L	48	4	94	35	11	82
2-2	4-0	1-1	0-0	136	127	25		10/2	Boston College			69	6	93	34	75	27
								10/9	Bye								
	3-1		0-0		128			10/16	at Syracuse						60	83	55
	3-1		0-0		127			10/23	at Pittsburgh						21	33	56
	0-4		0-2		120			10/30	Florida St						50	49	82
	3-1		1-0		128			11/6	Louisville						71	84	58
	0-5		0-1		96			11/13	Connecticut						129	128	113
	4-0		2-0		135			11/20	Wake Forest						48	42	19
	2-2		0-2		118			11/27	at South Carolina						78	40	47

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
† Georgia	3-10	-76	-1	1	14	23-2	0.1	19-37	178	7	15	31-121	3.9	22-30	135	1
South Carolina St	49-3	269	17	-2	26	36-242	6.7	23-39	262	0	9	34-103	3.0	10-27	132	1
Georgia Tech	14-8	-25	-2	-1	19	41-158	3.9	18-25	126	0	21	39-106	2.7	20-33	203	4
at NC State	21-27	-172	-21	0	10	23-103	4.5	12-26	111	2	31	51-148	2.9	32-45	238	3
Boston College																
Bye																
at Syracuse																
at Pittsburgh																
Florida St																
Louisville																
Connecticut																
Wake Forest																
at South Carolina																
Average	22-12	-1.0	-1.8	-0.5	17	31-126	4.1	56.7%	169	7.1%	19	39-120	3.1	62.2%	177	6.7%
Conference	18-18	-98.5	-11.5	-0.5	15	32-131	4.1	58.8%	119	3.9%	26	45-127	2.8	66.7%	221	9.0%
Home	32-6	122.0	7.5	-1.5	23	39-200	5.2	64.1%	194	0.0%	15	37-105	2.9	50.0%	168	8.3%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Clemson	1	-24.5	34	26	31-106	30-43-342	
Boston College	-	57	28	21	34-67	13-25-208	1
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Clemson	4	-34.5	59	36	44-302	25-36-372	
Boston College	-	58.5	7	10	44-97	6-18-80	-1
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Clemson	2	-20	27	19	30-129	29-41-295	
Boston College	17	55.5	7	8	33-9	14-24-104	2
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Clemson	2	-34	34	27	58-342	17-26-140	
Boston College	-	52.5	7	12	34-97	15-32-141	0
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Clemson	3	-17	56	21	35-230	16-26-278	
Boston College	-	43	10	15	48-155	12-24-96	-1

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Projected Box Score

	Projected Rushing		
68 yards	Boston College	Clemson	160 yards
	Projected Passing		
152 yards	Boston College	Clemson	227 yards
	Projected Yardage Total		
220 yards	Boston College	Clemson	386 yards
	Projected Final Score		
16 points	Boston College	Clemson	27 points
	Experience Rankings		
52	Boston College	Clemson	115
	Team Schedule Strength		
129	Boston College	Clemson	26

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Clemson By 15
Las Vegas Total	46 Points
+/- Ratings	Clemson By 14.5
Game Grade	Clemson By 15.5
Computer Yards	Clemson 386-220
Computer Points	Clemson 27-16
Phil Steele	Clemson by 7

Phil's Forecast:

BC is 16-5-1 ATS as an away underdog. Last time here BC was outgained 674-177, trailed 17-0 in first 10 minutes and 38-7 at half and lost 59-7 (+34.5). The visitor is on a 5-2-2 ATS run. Clemson leads series 19-9-2 SU and have won the last 10 meetings. Last year Clemson only won 34-28 (-24.5). Clemson did not have Trevor Lawrence but DJ Uiagalelei hit 30-41-342. BC used a 97 yd FR TD to lead 28-10 and 28-13 H the first time Clemson trailed at half in regular season since 2013. Clemson had a 147-39 yard edge 3Q and took first lead with 11:34 left in 34-28 win. Clemson is 20-9-1 ATS vs the ACC the last 4 years and has a bye on deck. One week after only beating GTech 14-8 at home Clemson took 2nd poss 80/5 for TD but it was 7-7 H with NCSt having 13-5 FD 153-87 yd edge. NCSt 2nd 3Q poss 77/9 TD Clem punt then 80/7 TD 10:52 NCST miss 51 yd FG then 39 yd FG 14-14 into OT and State won in 2 OT 27-21 with 31-10 FD and 386-214 yd edge. BC opened 3-0 and were +151 ypg. They lost QB Jurkovec in week 2 and Dennis Grosel has thrown for 452 (63%, 4-2). Last week RB Garwo rushed 25-175. A running into P penalty kept a Mizzou open TD drive alive and Grosel threw an int on his first pass. BC controlled matters building a 27-17 lead but MO went 75/9 & 57/11 for TD's to lead 31-27 6:18 BC went 60/15/5:53 for TD just :25 left. MO 56 yd FG at :00 for OT. BC TD then int for home win as a dog. Clemson has lost their top 2 DL for the season and are also without RB Shipley and LB Skalski. Clemson has taken on the much tougher sked (#26 vs #129). Four BC OL are NFL caliber and as I pointed out the magazine, they are much improved up front with 223 ypg rush and just 1.1% sacks allowed. I like the underdog here. BC's D has held 3 foes to season lows this year.

Clemson 23 Boston College 16

Minnesota Golden Gophers

Golden Gophers Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	134	145		4	9/4	Ohio St	31-45	L	27	98	61	4	15	50
0-1	0-1	0-1	0-0	133	117			9/11	Miami, OH	31-26	W	47	97	104	115	108	108
1-1	1-1	0-1	0-0	131	122			9/18	at Colorado	30-0	W	51	94	72	78	39	92
2-1	1-2	0-1	0-0	135	92			9/25	Bowling Green	10-14	L	59	60	75	123	101	19
2-2	3-1	0-1	1-0	130	128			10/2	at Purdue			79	39	78	61	30	67
								10/9	Bye								
	2-3		0-2		131			10/16	Nebraska						33	26	130
	4-0		1-0		127			10/23	Maryland						13	16	35
	2-2		0-1		123			10/30	at Northwestern						53	86	76
	1-4		1-2		121			11/6	Illinois						96	73	57
	4-0		1-0		144			11/13	at Iowa						104	2	5
	2-2		0-1		131			11/20	at Indiana						82	37	28
	1-2		0-1		135			11/27	Wisconsin						46	4	91

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Ohio St	31-45	-87	7	-1	24	50-203	4.1	14-25	205	2	17	26-201	7.7	13-22	294	0
Miami, OH	31-26	-54	-1	2	19	46-175	3.8	8-17	112	1	20	30-104	3.5	16-31	237	0
at Colorado	30-0	378	16	2	22	53-277	5.2	11-17	164	1	6	21--19	-0.9	12-24	82	4
Bowling Green	10-14	49	0	-1	12	45-182	4.0	5-13	59	4	12	25-22	0.9	19-36	170	4
at Purdue																
Bye																
Nebraska																
Maryland																
at Northwestern																
Illinois																
at Iowa																
at Indiana																
Wisconsin																
Average	26-21	71.5	5.5	0.5	19	49-209	4.3	52.8%	135	11.1%	14	26-77	3.0	53.1%	196	7.1%
Conference	31-45	-87.0	7.0	-1.0	24	50-203	4.1	56.0%	205	8.0%	17	26-201	7.7	59.1%	294	0.0%
Away	30-0	378.0	16.0	2.0	22	53-277	5.2	64.7%	164	5.9%	6	21--19	-0.9	50.0%	82	16.7%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
2-2	3-1
vs. BIG 10	vs. BIG 10
0-1	1-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Minnesota		Purdue
#25	Rush Off	#118
#120	Pass Off	#15
#104	**Total Off**	**#63**
#92	Score Off	#86
#70	Sks Allowed	#92
#13	Rush Def	#50
#43	Pass Def	#29
#13	**Total Def**	**#29**
#53	Score Def	#8
#74	Sks By	#82
#54	Ypg Diff	#36
+2	**Total TO's**	**-3**

Minnesota Golden Gophers | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Purdue Boilermakers**

Position by Position Edges

Minnesota		Purdue
	Minnesota QB/WR vs. Purdue DB's	2.32
0.06	Minnesota RB's vs. Purdue LB's	
	Minnesota OL vs. Purdue DL	0.38
1.21	Minnesota DL vs. Purdue OL	
2.13	Minnesota LB'S vs. Purdue RB's	
	Minnesota DB's vs. Purdue QB/WR	0.03
	Minnesota ST's vs. Purdue ST's	0.75
	Minnesota K vs. Purdue K	0.25
	Minnesota Coaches vs. Purdue Coaches	0.35
3.41	Minnesota Pts vs. Purdue Pts	4.07

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Purdue

By 0.67 Points

Purdue Boilermakers

Boilermakers Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	127	124			9/4	Oregon St	30-21	W	48	71	101	71	83	69
1-0	0-2	0-0	0-0	127	94			9/11	at Connecticut	49-0	W	55	61	75	129	127	119
2-0	2-0	0-0	0-0	130	134		12	9/18	at Notre Dame	13-27	L	42	53	58	19	10	44
2-1	1-3	0-0	1-1	129	120			9/25	Illinois	13-9	W	49	39	74	96	73	57
3-1	2-2	1-0	0-1	128	130			10/2	Minnesota			61	30	67	79	39	78
								10/9	Bye								
	4-0		1-0		144			10/16	at Iowa						104	2	5
	1-2		0-1		135			10/23	Wisconsin						46	4	91
	2-3		0-2		131			10/30	at Nebraska						33	26	130
	4-0		1-0		141			11/6	Michigan St						27	58	87
	3-1		1-0		141			11/13	at Ohio St						1	20	37
	2-2		0-1		123			11/20	† Northwestern						53	86	76
	2-2		0-1		131			11/27	Indiana						82	37	28

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Oregon St	30-21	38	9	0	24	33-88	2.7	29-42	313	1	15	25-78	3.1	21-38	285	1
at Connecticut	49-0	339	18	1	29	42-187	4.5	30-36	375	3	11	34-124	3.6	14-25	99	0
at Notre Dame	13-27	5	3	-2	19	25-57	2.3	36-54	291	3	16	34-120	3.5	15-32	223	4
Illinois	13-9	40	0	-2	17	26-38	1.5	24-40	277	3	17	42-175	4.2	14-27	100	2
Minnesota																
Bye																
at Iowa																
Wisconsin																
at Nebraska																
Michigan St																
at Ohio St																
† Northwestern																
Indiana																
Average	26-14	105.5	7.5	-0.8	22	32-93	2.9	69.2%	314	5.8%	15	34-124	3.7	52.5%	177	5.7%
Conference	13-9	40.0	0.0	-2.0	17	26-38	1.5	60.0%	277	7.5%	17	42-175	4.2	51.9%	100	7.4%
Home	22-15	39.0	4.5	-1.0	21	30-63	2.1	64.6%	295	4.9%	16	34-127	3.8	53.8%	193	4.6%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Minnesota	-	61	34	20	41-130	15-22-264	
Purdue	-	-1.5	31	28	25-125	35-43-367	-1
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Minnesota	-	-1.5	38	21	34-92	21-22-396	
Purdue	-	54	31	28	33-123	27-49-291	-2
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Minnesota	-	59	41	22	41-265	11-20-150	
Purdue	-	-10.5	10	14	30-88	21-32-145	0
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Minnesota	-	46.5	17	16	47-227	11-25-101	
Purdue	-	-3.5	31	22	29-132	25-36-307	-2
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Minnesota	-	-17.5	44	18	43-235	14-23-231	
Purdue	-	57	31	19	28-23	29-49-391	-2

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing		
162 yards	Minnesota	Purdue 49 yards
Projected Passing		
112 yards	Minnesota	Purdue 304 yards
Projected Yardage Total		
274 yards	Minnesota	Purdue 353 yards
Projected Final Score		
16 points	Minnesota	Purdue 25 points
Experience Rankings		
1	Minnesota	Purdue 51
Team Schedule Strength		
29	Minnesota	Purdue 31

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Purdue By 2.5
Las Vegas Total	47.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Purdue By 1.3
Game Grade	Purdue By 11.1
Computer Yards	Purdue 353-274
Computer Points	Purdue 25-16
Phil Steele	Purdue by 7

Phil's Forecast:

Minnesota has won 7 of the last 8 including the last 3. Last time here ('19), QB Morgan comp his 1st 14 passes (21-22, 396 yds, 4 td's) as the Gophers led 38-17 early 4Q and held off a late PU rally in a 38-31 (-1') road victory. Last year Purdue got back WR Moore but started backup QB Plummer who hit 35-42-367. Minny was without 22 players. Purdue trailed most of game but had 492-394 yard-edge. Purdue had TD pass to Moore overturned then FG blocked to end 1H. Down 3 Purdue missed a 33 yd FG by inches with 4:08 left. Purdue got a TD pass with :58 left to TE Durham but a very poor pass interf call (almost 0 contact) took it away and PU was int'd on next play in a 34-31 bitter loss

Pittsburgh Panthers

Panthers Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	TEAM OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	126	95			9/4	UMass	51-7	W	43	21	35	128	129	84
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	127	119			9/11	at Tennessee	41-34	W	38	14	21	73	65	19
2-0	1-1	0-0	0-0	127	114			9/18	Western Michigan	41-44	L	39	12	86	83	104	130
2-1		0-0		123				9/25	New Hampshire	77-7	W	39	30	53			
3-1	2-2	0-0	1-1	127	128			10/2	at Georgia Tech			21	33	56	58	66	112
								10/9	Bye								
	3-1		1-0		127			10/16	at Virginia Tech						99	21	32
	2-2		1-1		136			10/23	Clemson						69	6	93
	2-2		0-0		130			10/30	Miami, Fl						24	36	46
	3-1		0-0		117			11/6	at Duke						15	97	22
	2-2		1-2		134			11/13	North Carolina						17	63	99
	2-2		0-2		128			11/20	Virginia						49	100	96
	3-1		0-0		128			11/27	at Syracuse						60	83	55

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
UMass	51-7	389	24	-1	35	41-223	5.4	34-45	375	1	11	27-42	1.6	14-31	167	5
at Tennessee	41-34	23	4	3	24	45-96	2.1	25-37	301	2	20	33-136	4.1	22-33	238	5
Western Michigan	41-44	-27	-3	-1	25	24-75	3.1	25-34	415	2	28	48-160	3.3	26-38	357	3
New Hampshire	77-7	547	27	2	35	49-252	5.1	29-33	455	2	8	29-100	3.4	10-24	60	3
at Georgia Tech																
Bye																
at Virginia Tech																
Clemson																
Miami, Fl																
at Duke																
North Carolina																
Virginia																
at Syracuse																
Average	53-23	233.0	13.0	0.8	30	40-162	4.1	75.8%	387	4.7%	17	34-110	3.2	57.1%	206	12.7%
Conference	0-0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Away	41-34	23.0	4.0	3.0	24	45-96	2.1	67.6%	301	5.4%	20	33-136	4.1	66.7%	238	15.2%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
3-1	2-2
vs. ACC	vs. ACC
0-0	1-1

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Pittsburgh		Georgia Tech
#66	Rush Off	#36
#4	Pass Off	#103
#6	**Total Off**	**#75**
#2	Score Off	#64
#51	Sks Allowed	#106
#35	Rush Def	#63
#50	Pass Def	#22
#38	**Total Def**	**#34**
#64	Score Def	#36
#5	Sks By	#45
#3	Ypg Diff	#51
+3	**Total TO's**	**+6**

Pittsburgh Panthers | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Georgia Tech Yellow Jackets**

Position by Position Edges

Pittsburgh		Georgia Tech
1.49	Pittsburgh QB/WR vs. Georgia Tech DB's	
	Pittsburgh RB's vs. Georgia Tech LB's	1.09
	Pittsburgh OL vs. Georgia Tech DL	0.34
0.97	Pittsburgh DL vs. Georgia Tech OL	
0.46	Pittsburgh LB'S vs. Georgia Tech RB's	
0.82	Pittsburgh DB's vs. Georgia Tech QB/WR	
	Pittsburgh ST's vs. Georgia Tech ST's	0.46
1.15	Pittsburgh K vs. Georgia Tech K	
0.65	Pittsburgh Coaches vs. Georgia Tech Coaches	
5.53	Pittsburgh Pts vs. Georgia Tech Pts	1.89

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Pittsburgh

By 3.65 Points

Georgia Tech Yellow Jackets

Yellow Jackets Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	TEAM OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	124	112			9/4	Northern Illinois	21-22	L	62	43	96	114	119	88
0-1		0-0		120				9/11	Kennesaw St	45-17	W	57	47	123			
1-1	1-1	0-0	0-0	120	142		6	9/18	at Clemson	8-14	L	53	64	81	16	2	89
1-2	2-1	0-1	1-1	123	139		21	9/25	North Carolina	45-22	W	68	83	111	6	47	89
2-2	3-1	1-1	0-0	128	127			10/2	Pittsburgh			58	66	112	21	33	56
	3-1		0-0		117			10/9	at Duke						15	97	22
								10/16	Bye								
	2-2		0-2		128			10/23	at Virginia						49	100	96
	3-1		1-0		127			10/30	Virginia Tech						99	21	32
	2-2		0-0		130			11/6	at Miami, Fl						24	36	46
	4-0		0-0		127			11/13	Boston College						34	75	27
	4-0		0-0		140			11/20	at Notre Dame						68	5	23
	4-0		2-0		154			11/27	Georgia						10	1	49

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Northern Illinois	21-22	128	10	0	25	52-273	5.3	15-26	156	4	15	2-165	82.5	11-17	136	0
Kennesaw St	45-17	140	7	2	20	36-158	4.4	17-23	254	3	13	43-161	3.7	8-20	111	2
at Clemson	8-14	25	2	1	21	39-106	2.7	20-33	203	4	19	41-158	3.9	18-25	126	0
North Carolina	45-22	25	1	3	19	43-261	6.1	13-19	133	1	18	35-63	1.8	25-39	306	8
Pittsburgh																
at Duke																
Bye																
at Virginia																
Virginia Tech																
at Miami, Fl																
Boston College																
at Notre Dame																
Georgia																
Average	30-19	79.5	5.0	1.5	21	43-200	4.7	64.4%	187	11.9%	16	30-137	4.5	61.4%	170	9.9%
Conference	27-18	25.0	1.5	2.0	20	41-184	4.5	63.5%	168	9.6%	19	38-111	2.9	67.2%	216	12.5%
Home	37-20	97.7	6.0	1.7	21	44-231	5.3	66.2%	181	11.8%	15	27-130	4.9	57.9%	184	13.2%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Pittsburgh	-	-7	34	28	54-317	17-34-196	
Georgia Tech	-	55	20	21	29-98	19-36-250	-2
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Pittsburgh	-	-7.5	20	18	36-158	25-34-204	
Georgia Tech	-	44	10	10	29-86	8-21-108	1
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Pittsburgh	-	55	24	16	31-138	16-23-197	
Georgia Tech	-	-3.5	19	22	56-320	6-15-66	-1
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Pittsburgh	-	55	17	11	20-37	22-35-198	
Georgia Tech	-	-9.5	35	25	67-436	4-7-48	-3
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Pittsburgh	-	-6.5	37	22	42-215	14-20-192	
Georgia Tech	-	51.5	34	18	45-241	7-10-130	1

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Projected Box Score

Pittsburgh		Georgia Tech
	Projected Rushing	
90 yards	Pittsburgh Georgia Tech	180 yards
	Projected Passing	
307 yards	Pittsburgh Georgia Tech	199 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
397 yards	Pittsburgh Georgia Tech	380 yards
	Projected Final Score	
35 points	Pittsburgh Georgia Tech	30 points
	Experience Rankings	
65	Pittsburgh Georgia Tech	37
	Team Schedule Strength	
114	Pittsburgh Georgia Tech	68

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Pittsburgh By 3.5
Las Vegas Total	58.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Georgia Tech By 5.0
Game Grade	Pittsburgh By 3.7
Computer Yards	Pittsburgh 397-380
Computer Points	Pittsburgh 35-30
Phil Steele	Pittsburgh by 5

Phil's Forecast:

This makes three games in a row Pitt has played the Ramblin' Wreck in Georgia. Maybe this time Narduzzi gets a hearty handshake from Georgia Tech coach Geoff Collins. At the end of Pitt's 34-20 victory last season, Collins dismissively greeted Narduzzi after some "chippy" activity. GT has lost last 3 meetings but covered 4 of the previous 5. GT wasn't favored in any of their home games last season but still managed to go 2-4. The home team is 3-4 SU/2-5 ATS. Last year RB Vincent Davis rushed for 247 yds including a 74 yd run on first play. GT led 7-3 after 1Q but Pitt led 16-7 H with GT having 3 1H TO's and Pitt struggling in red zone (SOD 1, 3 FG inside 12). Pitt led 23-7 and GT pulled to 26-20 6:01 but Pitt went 75/9/4:01 for TD 2:00 and GT SOD at 9 :16. Pitt started the season 2-0 including a road win at Tennessee but were upset by Western Michigan at home. Last week they were -24 vs #22 New Hampshire and their 77 pts were most s/1926 in a 77-7 win. They led 49-7 at half with 22-2 FD edge. QB Pickett is hitting 74% with a 15-1 ratio with a great set of WR's. GTech also suffered a home upset loss to a MAC school losing to NIU but then went on the road had a 309-284 yard edge at Clemson but were stopped at the goal line in a 14-8 loss. Last week they sacked Sam Howell 8 times and upset North Carolina 45-22 in Mercedes Benz Stadium. GT had 71 yds on 5 poss with Yates at QB then Sims off the bench led them to 323 yds. Both teams can make some noise in the always wide open Coastal.

Pittsburgh 35 Georgia Tech 30

LA Tech Bulldogs

Bulldogs Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	110	132			9/4	at Miss St	34-35	L	111	87	98	50	28	51
0-1		0-0		114				9/11	SE Louisiana	45-42	W	119	91	127			
1-1	2-0	0-0	0-0	113	123			9/18	SMU	37-39	L	111	90	93	11	85	99
1-2	1-2	0-0	0-1	114	101			9/25	North Texas	24-17	W	98	100	108	75	119	49
2-2	3-1	1-0	1-0	113	134		23	10/2	at NC State			101	98	108	44	10	92
								10/9	Bye								
	3-1		0-0		104			10/16	at UTEP						75	72	88
	4-0		1-0		129			10/23	UTSA						64	50	11
	1-3		0-0		104			10/30	at Old Dominion						114	102	62
	3-1		1-0		128			11/6	at UAB						70	31	85
	3-1		1-0		111			11/13	Charlotte						57	118	97
	1-3		0-0		111			11/20	Southern Miss						125	88	65
	1-3		0-0		103			11/27	at Rice						109	119	123

Score	Yds	Net FD	TO's	Offense FD	RA-RY	YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	RA-RY	YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Miss St 34-35	-66	-8	2	14	25-101	4.0	21-37	268	1	22	19-65	3.4	39-47	370	3
SE Louisiana 45-42	-146	-9	2	23	43-198	4.6	20-28	250	1	32	27-99	3.7	44-59	495	3
SMU 37-39	-95	-5	-1	26	30-132	4.4	24-41	351	1	31	38-183	4.8	36-50	395	0
North Texas 24-17	-47	-3	0	21	40-79	2.0	19-28	207	3	24	49-241	4.9	15-37	92	2
at NC State															
Bye															
at UTEP															
UTSA															
at Old Dominion															
at UAB															
Charlotte															
Southern Miss															
at Rice															
Average 35-33	-88.5	-6.3	0.8	21	35-128	3.7	62.7%	269	4.5%	27	33-147	4.4	69.4%	338	4.1%
Conference 24-17	-47.0	-3.0	0.0	21	40-79	2.0	67.9%	207	10.7%	24	49-241	4.9	40.5%	92	5.4%
Away 34-35	-66.0	-8.0	2.0	14	25-101	4.0	56.8%	268	2.7%	22	19-65	3.4	83.0%	370	6.4%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
2-2	3-1
vs. CUSA	vs. ACC
1-0	1-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

LA Tech		NC State
#97	Rush Off	#53
#42	Pass Off	#45
#67	**Total Off**	**#42**
#41	Score Off	#53
#38	Sks Allowed	#70
#74	Rush Def	#15
#127	Pass Def	#21
#124	**Total Def**	**#7**
#111	Score Def	#6
#74	Sks By	#113
#109	Ypg Diff	#14
+3	**Total TO's**	**-1**

LA Tech Bulldogs | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **NC State Wolfpack**

Position by Position Edges

LA Tech		NC State
	LA Tech QB/WR vs. NC State DB's	1.79
	LA Tech RB's vs. NC State LB's	2.63
	LA Tech OL vs. NC State DL	2.00
	LA Tech DL vs. NC State OL	0.63
	LA Tech LB'S vs. NC State RB's	1.13
	LA Tech DB's vs. NC State QB/WR	0.21
0.59	LA Tech ST's vs. NC State ST's	
0.60	LA Tech K vs. NC State K	
0.55	LA Tech Coaches vs. NC State Coaches	
1.74	LA Tech Pts vs. NC State Pts	8.40

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

NC State

By 6.65 Points

NC State Wolfpack

Wolfpack Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	129	116			9/4	USF	45-0	W	38	13	26	108	108	85
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	133	128			9/11	at Miss St	10-24	L	30	12	40	46	30	96
1-1		0-0		129				9/18	Furman	45-7	W	41	9	105			
2-1	2-1	0-0	1-0	131	139		9	9/25	Clemson	27-21	W	35	11	82	48	4	94
3-1	2-2	1-0	1-0	134	113	23		10/2	Louisiana Tech			44	10	92	101	98	108
								10/9	Bye								
	4-0		0-0		127			10/16	at Boston College						34	75	27
	2-2		0-0		130			10/23	at Miami, Fl						24	36	46
	3-1		1-0		128			10/30	Louisville						71	84	58
	0-4		0-2		120			11/6	at Florida St						50	49	82
	4-0		2-0		135			11/13	at Wake Forest						48	42	19
	3-1		0-0		128			11/20	Syracuse						60	83	55
	2-2		1-2		134			11/27	North Carolina						17	63	99

Score	Yds	Net FD	TO's	Offense FD	RA-RY	YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	RA-RY	YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
USF 45-0	254	12	2	27	40-293	7.3	17-26	232	1	15	32-104	3.3	14-33	167	0
at Miss St 10-24	19	1	-3	16	25-32	1.3	30-51	303	4	15	15-22	1.5	33-49	294	1
Furman 45-7	309	16	0	25	31-218	7.0	28-37	287	0	9	32-92	2.9	10-21	104	1
Clemson 27-21	172	21	0	31	51-148	2.9	32-45	238	3	10	23-103	4.5	12-26	111	2
Louisiana Tech															
Bye															
at Boston College															
at Miami, Fl															
Louisville															
at Florida St															
at Wake Forest															
Syracuse															
North Carolina															
Average 32-13	188.5	12.5	-0.3	25	37-173	4.7	67.3%	265	5.0%	12	26-80	3.1	53.5%	169	3.1%
Conference 27-21	172.0	21.0	0.0	31	51-148	2.9	71.1%	238	6.7%	10	23-103	4.5	46.2%	111	7.7%
Home 39-9	245.0	16.3	0.7	28	41-220	5.4	71.3%	252	3.7%	11	29-100	3.4	45.0%	127	3.8%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

None

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Projected Box Score

LA Tech		NC State
	Projected Rushing	
33 yards	LA Tech	NC State 208 yards
	Projected Passing	
161 yards	LA Tech	NC State 289 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
195 yards	LA Tech	NC State 497 yards
	Projected Final Score	
16 points	LA Tech	NC State 35 points
	Experience Rankings	
49	LA Tech	NC State 44
	Team Schedule Strength	
77	LA Tech	NC State 72

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	N Car St By 20.5
Las Vegas Total	54.5 Points
+/- Ratings	N Car St By 25.0
Game Grade	N Car St By 23.5
Computer Yards	N Car St 497-195
Computer Points	N Car St 35-16
Phil Steele	N Car St by 11

Phil's Forecast:

Only prior meeting was Holtz' first game as HC at LT in '13. LT trailed 24-0 2Q and was outgained 542-341 in a 40-14 loss (+14). LT is 22-14 ATS vs Non-Conf foes under Holtz. LT has lost 13 straight on road vs P5. HC Doeren is 21-1 SU at home vs Non Conf foes. The 'Pack are 1-5 ATS the week after Clemson but does have a bye on deck. LTech could easily have opened the year 3-0 but blew a 34-14 4Q lead at Miss St and then SMU got a tipped Hail Mary TD pass to pull out a miracle 39-37 win over LT. Last week QB Kendall missed the game for LT and Allen hit 14-18-137 and Head 5-10-70. LT scored 3 TD & a FG and was SOD at the 39 on its first 5 poss to lead 24-0 at home. NTexas went 63/12 for TD :28 left in half. NT 4&7 8 yd TD pass 5:39 to pull to 24-17. LT 44/10 50 yd FG Miss 1:37 NT SOD own 36. NCSt blew out USF and Furman by 41 ppg in their first two home games but last week upset Clemson in 2 OT 27-21 with 31-10 FD and 386-214 yd edges. NCSt is holding foes to 112 ypg below their season avg. NCSt has a mutual opponent at they also traveled to Miss St but trailed 24-3 before getting a late TD. This is a classic letdown spot and Holts is 15-8-1 ATS as an AD with LT and played Miss St tougher than the Wolfpack did.

NC State 31 Louisiana Tech 20

Appalachian St Mountaineers

Mountaineers Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	126	128			9/4	† East Carolina	33-19	W	37	25	28	56	95	44
1-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	128	131		22	9/11	at Miami, Fl	23-25	L	26	22	29	8	27	27
1-1		0-0		128				9/18	Elon	44-10	W	40	20	23			
2-1	2-1	0-0	0-0	130	116			9/25	Marshall	31-30	W	40	41	8	32	74	59
3-1	1-3	0-0	0-0	127	116			10/2	at Georgia St			32	47	9	108	112	121
	3-1		1-0		127			10/9	at Louisiana						62	91	2
								10/16	Bye								
	4-0		0-0		130			10/23	Coastal Carolina						11	89	44
	2-1		1-0		99			10/30	ULM						130	117	106
	1-3		0-0		110			11/6	at Arkansas St						90	120	53
	3-0		0-0		105			11/13	South Alabama						102	74	72
	2-2		0-1		119			11/20	at Troy						105	67	94
	1-3		0-1		111			11/27	GA Southern						113	121	63

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
† East Carolina	33-19	89	5	1	25	36-226	6.3	20-27	259	1	20	24-96	4.0	22-41	300	4
at Miami, Fl	23-25	-49	-6	-1	19	39-127	3.3	21-34	199	1	25	43-175	4.1	20-33	200	2
Elon	44-10	237	10	0	24	38-187	4.9	22-29	341	1	14	27-66	2.4	22-26	225	3
Marshall	31-30	169	19	-2	39	54-283	5.2	24-39	283	1	20	28-127	4.5	18-33	270	2
at Georgia St																
at Louisiana																
Bye																
Coastal Carolina																
ULM																
at Arkansas St																
South Alabama																
at Troy																
GA Southern																
Average	33-21	111.5	7.0	-0.5	27	42-206	4.9	67.4%	271	3.1%	20	31-116	3.8	61.7%	249	8.3%
Conference	0-0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Away	28-22	20.0	-0.5	0.0	22	38-177	4.7	67.2%	229	3.3%	23	34-136	4.0	56.8%	250	8.1%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
3-1	1-3
vs. SUN	vs. SUN
0-0	0-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Appalachian St		Georgia St
#28	Rush Off	#38
#40	Pass Off	#125
#23	**Total Off**	**#117**
#49	Score Off	#117
#16	Sks Allowed	#70
#41	Rush Def	#103
#95	Pass Def	#72
#69	**Total Def**	**#92**
#51	Score Def	#118
#34	Sks By	#94
#33	Ypg Diff	#111
-2	**Total TO's**	**-3**

Appalachian St Mountaineers | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Georgia St Panthers**

Position by Position Edges

Appalachian St		Georgia St
1.41	Appalachian St QB/WR vs. Georgia St DB's	
1.19	Appalachian St RB's vs. Georgia St LB's	
1.16	Appalachian St OL vs. Georgia St DL	
0.48	Appalachian St DL vs. Georgia St OL	
0.74	Appalachian St LB'S vs. Georgia St RB's	
2.13	Appalachian St DB's vs. Georgia St QB/WR	
4.22	Appalachian St ST's vs. Georgia St ST's	
	Appalachian St K vs. Georgia St K	1.75
	Appalachian St Coaches vs. Georgia St Coaches	1.70
11.32	Appalachian St Pts vs. Georgia St Pts	3.45

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Appalachian St

By 7.87 Points

Georgia St Panthers

Panthers Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	122	120			9/4	Army West Point	10-43	L	59	101	114	109	82	55
0-1	0-1	0-0	0-1	117	132		24	9/11	at North Carolina	17-59	L	78	105	114	13	38	98
0-2	2-0	0-0	0-0	113	108			9/18	Charlotte	20-9	W	98	107	103	105	119	98
1-2	2-1	0-0	0-0	113	136		23	9/25	at Auburn	24-34	L	111	121	112	3	34	21
1-3	3-1	0-0	0-0	116	127			10/2	Appalachian St			108	112	121	32	47	9
	2-1		1-0		99			10/9	at ULM						130	117	106
								10/16	Bye								
	1-3		0-0		104			10/23	Texas St						118	114	69
	1-3		0-1		111			10/30	at GA Southern						113	121	63
	3-1		1-0		127			11/6	at Louisiana						62	91	2
	4-0		0-0		130			11/13	at Coastal Carolina						11	89	44
	1-3		0-0		110			11/20	Arkansas St						90	120	53
	2-2		0-1		119			11/27	Troy						105	67	94

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Army West Point	10-43	-179	-6	-2	14	28-48	1.7	12-20	129	3	20	67-258	3.9	3-4	98	0
at North Carolina	17-59	-336	-12	0	16	45-181	4.0	14-30	90	1	28	40-201	5.0	23-31	406	2
Charlotte	20-9	161	3	-1	20	49-298	6.1	6-12	139	1	17	39-118	3.0	13-28	158	2
at Auburn	24-34	-35	-1	0	20	47-267	5.7	12-24	117	3	21	35-166	4.7	22-43	253	2
Appalachian St																
at ULM																
Bye																
Texas St																
at GA Southern																
at Louisiana																
at Coastal Carolina																
Arkansas St																
Troy																
Average	18-36	-97.3	-4.0	-0.8	18	42-199	4.7	51.2%	119	9.3%	22	45-186	4.1	57.5%	229	5.7%
Conference	0-0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Home	15-26	-9.0	-1.5	-1.5	17	39-173	4.5	56.3%	134	12.5%	19	53-188	3.5	50.0%	128	6.3%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Appalachian St	-	-18	17	19	47-131	19-26-179	
Georgia St	-	63	13	16	38-148	11-33-152	0
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Appalachian St	-	-16.5	56	25	46-280	21-34-273	
Georgia St	-	61	27	13	31-186	15-32-138	-2
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Appalachian St	-	-28	45	25	39-228	22-26-296	
Georgia St	-	54	17	15	34-197	10-21-132	-2
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Appalachian St	-	-7	31	20	46-323	15-23-107	
Georgia St	-	51	10	14	26-91	22-35-201	1
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Appalachian St	-	-19	17	26	48-218	13-25-143	
Georgia St	-	51.5	3	16	25-88	19-44-153	-3

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Projected Box Score

Appalachian St		Georgia St
	Projected Rushing	
187 yards	Appalachian St Georgia St	187 yards
	Projected Passing	
231 yards	Appalachian St Georgia St	140 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
418 yards	Appalachian St Georgia St	327 yards
	Projected Final Score	
31 points	Appalachian St Georgia St	20 points
	Experience Rankings	
48	Appalachian St Georgia St	16
	Team Schedule Strength	
59	Appalachian St Georgia St	6

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Appalachian St By 10
Las Vegas Total	55.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Appalachian St By 8.5
Game Grade	Appalachian St By 12.1
Computer Yards	Appalachian St 418-327
Computer Points	Appalachian St 31-20
Phil Steele	Appalachian St by 11

Phil's Forecast:

The Panthers, which will be in their fifth season under App State alumnus Shawn Elliott, have never beaten the Mountaineers since the two started Sun Belt play in 2014. HC Elliott played at App St. After losing their first 6 games to the Mountaineers by an avg of 28 ppg (+243 ypg), the Panthers nearly picked up the win last year, falling by just 4 points. Peoples 10 yd TD run with 4:55 left gave App their first lead 17-13 and they won. App St is 7-0 SU/4-2-1 ATS vs GSt including 3-0 ATS here with an avg cover of 15 ppg. Shawn Clark is 0-3-1 ATS as an AF. App had a tough two-point loss to Miami in week 2. Last week Nate Noel ran for 189 yds. App went 72/8 and with :04 left got a 2 yd TD run to lead 21-20. Marshall got a FG and TD after 3Q App TO's and led 30-21. App was SOD at 36 but went 91/6 for TD 14:04 Marshall miss 32 yd FG, App 45 yd FG 5:40 lead Marsh punt 4:00 and App 83/8/4:00 to 5 running out clock with Marsh trying to let them score at end. Georgia St got off to a slower than expected start losing as a HF to Army 43-10 and then had to face North Carolina which was off a loss and lost by 42. They did have a 437-276 yard edge at home vs Charlotte but needed a late TD to win 20-9. Last week at Auburn GSt had a 297-230 yd edge with 3 TD and FG led 24-12. Auburn blk punt for TD 3Q 24-19 and Auburn got a 489 10 yd TD pass as he escaped pressure to pull out win :45 left then misleading final with 36 yd IR TD :31 left Auburn 34-24. The Panthers D is holding foes to 65 ypg below their season avg but the offense saw them go to Furman transfer Darren Grainger vs Charlotte and benching Cornelius Brown. The Panthers will be a tough out here but App gets the road win.

Appalachian St 31 Georgia St 20

Troy Trojans

Trojans Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	TEAM ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		122				9/4	Southern	55-3	W	80	81	94					
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	124	131			9/11	Liberty	13-21	L	86	82	76	32	52	79		
1-1	1-1	0-0	0-0	124	112			9/18	at Southern Miss	21-9	W	84	81	102	114	76	17		
2-1	1-1	0-0	0-0	124	94			9/25	at ULM	16-29	L	104	59	105	130	124	115		
2-2	2-2	0-1	0-2	119	118			10/2	at South Carolina			105	67	94	78	40	47		
	1-3		0-1		111			10/9	GA Southern						113	121	63		
	1-3		0-0		104			10/16	at Texas St						118	114	69		
								10/23	Bye										
	4-0		0-0		130			10/28	at Coastal Carolina						11	89	44		
	3-0		0-0		105			11/6	South Alabama						102	74	72		
	3-1		1-0		127			11/13	Louisiana						62	91	2		
	3-1		0-0		127			11/20	Appalachian St						32	47	9		
	1-3		0-0		116			11/27	at Georgia St						108	112	121		

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Yds Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Yds Sks
Southern	55-3	275	17	3	28	39-164	4.2	22-33	300	0	11	28-81	2.9	12-21	108	2
Liberty	13-21	-107	-9	-1	13	24-21	0.9	18-25	211	5	22	47-185	3.9	13-18	154	5
at Southern Miss	21-9	148	3	0	17	32-49	1.5	27-40	255	4	14	39--1	0.0	16-27	157	9
at ULM	16-29	88	3	0	18	23-67	2.9	35-49	311	3	15	41-122	3.0	11-19	168	2
at South Carolina																
GA Southern																
at Texas St																
Bye																
at Coastal Carolina																
South Alabama																
Louisiana																
Appalachian St																
at Georgia St																
Average	26-16	101.0	3.5	0.5	19	30-75	2.6	69.4%	269	8.2%	16	39-97	2.5	61.2%	147	21.2%
Conference	16-29	88.0	3.0	0.0	18	23-67	2.9	71.4%	311	6.1%	15	41-122	3.0	57.9%	168	10.5%
Away	19-19	118.0	3.0	0.0	18	28-58	2.1	69.7%	283	7.9%	15	40-61	1.5	58.7%	163	23.9%

OVERALL: 2-2 vs. SUN 0-1 | **OVERALL:** 2-2 vs. SEC 0-2

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Troy		South Carolina
#126	Rush Off	#95
#103	**Total Off**	**#114**
#86	Score Off	#103
#106	Sks Allowed	#81
#24	Rush Def	#67
#10	Pass Def	#17
#4	**Total Def**	**#27**
#15	Score Def	#33
#1	Sks By	#74
#39	Ypg Diff	#77
+2	**Total TO's**	**+4**

Troy Trojans | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **South Carolina Gamecocks**

Position by Position Edges

Troy		South Carolina
	Troy QB/WR vs. South Carolina DB's	0.68
	Troy RB's vs. South Carolina LB's	2.41
	Troy OL vs. South Carolina DL	1.89
0.93	Troy DL vs. South Carolina OL	
0.70	Troy LB'S vs. South Carolina RB's	
	Troy DB's vs. South Carolina QB/WR	0.27
	Troy ST's vs. South Carolina ST's	1.78
	Troy K vs. South Carolina K	1.85
0.50	Troy Coaches vs. South Carolina Coaches	
2.13	Troy Pts vs. South Carolina Pts	8.87

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

South Carolina

By 6.74 Points

South Carolina Gamecocks

Gamecocks Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	TEAM ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		117				9/4	Eastern Illinois	46-0	W	40	73	62					
1-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	119	126			9/11	at East Carolina	20-17	W	40	78	56	60	100	36		
2-0	2-0	0-0	0-0	120	151		2	9/18	at Georgia	13-40	L	43	58	26	5	1	53		
2-1	3-0	0-1	1-0	121	123			9/25	Kentucky	10-16	L	61	36	56	27	37	80		
2-2	2-2	0-2	0-1	118	119			10/2	Troy			78	40	47	105	67	94		
	2-2		0-1		121			10/9	at Tennessee						39	48	10		
	1-3		0-1		107			10/16	Vanderbilt						119	111	102		
	3-1		0-1		137			10/23	at Texas A&M						43	3	21		
								10/30	Bye										
	3-1		1-1		138			11/6	Florida						3	17	74		
	2-2		0-1		124			11/13	at Missouri						20	81	15		
	3-1		0-0		133			11/20	Auburn						4	43	8		
	2-2		1-1		136			11/27	Clemson						69	6	93		

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Yds Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Yds Sks
Eastern Illinois	46-0	334	14	1	23	47-258	5.5	18-28	185	1	9	22-31	1.4	13-22	78	2
at East Carolina	20-17	60	3	-1	15	39-109	2.8	13-24	214	3	12	38-111	2.9	12-25	152	5
at Georgia	13-40	-181	-13	1	13	34-96	2.8	14-29	214	3	26	31-184	5.9	24-35	307	1
Kentucky	10-16	-116	-10	3	12	26-58	2.2	17-25	158	2	22	44-230	5.2	15-22	102	0
Troy																
at Tennessee																
Vanderbilt																
at Texas A&M																
Bye																
Florida																
at Missouri																
Auburn																
Clemson																
Average	22-18	24.3	-1.5	1.0	16	37-130	3.6	58.5%	193	8.5%	17	34-139	4.1	61.5%	160	7.7%
Conference	12-28	-148.5	-11.5	2.0	13	30-77	2.6	57.4%	186	9.3%	24	38-207	5.5	68.4%	205	1.8%
Home	28-8	109.0	2.0	2.0	18	37-158	4.3	66.0%	172	5.7%	16	33-131	4.0	63.6%	90	4.5%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

None

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Projected Box Score

Troy		South Carolina
	Projected Rushing	
40 yards	Troy	137 yards
	Projected Passing	
179 yards	Troy	208 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
219 yards	Troy	345 yards
	Projected Final Score	
12 points	Troy	24 points
	Experience Rankings	
22	Troy	117
	Team Schedule Strength	
123	Troy	35

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	S Carolina By 7
Las Vegas Total	43 Points
+/- Ratings	S Carolina By 3.3
Game Grade	S Carolina By 14.2
Computer Yards	S Carolina 345-219
Computer Points	S Carolina 24-12
Phil Steele	S Carolina by 14

Phil's Forecast:

South Carolina is 3-0 all-time vs Troy, they won the last meeting in '10, 69-24. The Gamecocks are 16-2 all-time vs Sun Belt foes but did lose in '19 to App State, 20-15. Against SEC teams Troy is 3-22 SU all-time with their last win coming in 2017 with a shocker over LSU. South Carolina is in an SEC sandwich but after going 2-8 last year won't overlook any team. Chip Lindsay is 1-5 ATS as an AD and this is 3rd straight road game. Troy QB Taylor Powell (Missouri tranfser) has thrown for 1077 (69%, 7-3) as Troy is 2-2 with only a 8 point home loss to Liberty. Last week ULM was +24 but led 10-3 H with 171-136 yd edge. ULM open 3Q 75/8 TD. 60/8 FG with Troy TD between 20-10 ULM Troy punt twice then safety. Down 22-10 Troy at 6, 96 yard IR TD Williams 29-10! Troy 80/11 TD :35 29-16. South Carolina got a comeback road win vs East Carolina to open 2-0 and after a expected loss to Georgia (but covered to go 3-0 ATS) last week Kentucky had a 22-12 FD edge and 332-216 yd edge but 3 TO's. Twice after UK TO's SC was SOD on dropped passes. UK open 75/12 TD but then 3 punts and an int before 57/10 43 yd FG :00 10-0 H. SC open 3Q 75/10 TD UK 72/13 1&G 4 21 yd FG. UK 51/9 27 yd FG 4:26 16-7. SC 39/5 54 yd FG 2:31 UK 30/6 run out clock. SC is playing to an AGG of 99.5 and Troy is at 89.9 (SC by 13.9). Troy's D is allowing just 244 ypg (44 ypg below avg) and Scar's D is allowing 299 ypg which is 94 ypg below their opp's avg and SC has taken on the much tougher schedule (#39 vs #123).

South Carolina 24 Troy 10

Army Black Knights

Black Knights Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	TEAM OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	120	122			9/4	at Georgia St	43-10	W	109	82	55	59	101	114
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	125	116			9/11	WKU	38-35	W	104	79	14	103	68	32
2-0	0-3	0-0	0-0	124	91			9/18	Connecticut	52-21	W	100	79	22	129	129	125
3-0	1-2	1-0	0-0	123	116			9/25	Miami, OH	23-10	W	42	71	44	106	110	36
4-0	1-3	1-0	0-1	123	116			10/2	at Ball St			40	53	29	122	109	45
								10/9	Bye								
	1-2		0-1		135			10/16	at Wisconsin						46	4	91
	4-0		2-0		135			10/23	Wake Forest						48	42	19
								10/30	Bye								
	3-1		0-1		124			11/6	† Air Force						56	82	128
								11/13	Bucknell								
	0-4		0-0		93			11/20	UMass						120	130	126
	3-1		0-0		130			11/27	at Liberty						74	44	114
								12/4	Bye								
	0-3		0-1		114			12/11	† Navy						128	96	127

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Georgia St	43-10	179	6	2	20	67-258	3.9	3-4	98	0	14	28-48	1.7	12-20	129	3
WKU	38-35	-61	1	0	23	67-339	5.1	5-6	77	1	22	19-42	2.2	28-40	435	3
Connecticut	52-21	279	15	1	24	67-397	5.9	3-3	107	0	9	19-116	6.1	11-26	109	2
Miami, OH	23-10	152	3	1	16	63-384	6.1	0-5	0	0	13	20-28	1.4	12-27	204	2
at Ball St																
Bye																
at Wisconsin																
Wake Forest																
Bye																
† Air Force																
Bucknell																
UMass																
at Liberty																
Bye																
† Navy																
Average	39-19	137.3	6.3	1.0	21	66-345	5.2	61.1%	71	5.6%	15	22-59	2.7	55.8%	219	8.8%
Conference	0-0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Away	43-10	179.0	6.0	2.0	20	67-258	3.9	75.0%	98	0.0%	14	28-48	1.7	60.0%	129	15.0%

OVERALL: 4-0 vs. IND 1-0

OVERALL: 1-3 vs. MAC 0-1

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Army		Ball St
#2	Rush Off	#93
#128	Pass Off	#103
#59	**Total Off**	**#116**
#18	Score Off	#118
#3	Sks Allowed	#99
#4	Rush Def	#106
#65	Pass Def	#94
#15	**Total Def**	**#107**
#37	Score Def	#110
#45	Sks By	#58
#24	Ypg Diff	#120
+4	**Total TO's**	**-5**

Army Black Knights | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Ball St Cardinals**

Position by Position Edges

Army		Ball St
0.44	Army QB/WR vs. Ball St DB's	
1.65	Army RB's vs. Ball St LB's	
1.73	Army OL vs. Ball St DL	
2.08	Army DL vs. Ball St OL	
1.87	Army LB'S vs. Ball St RB's	
1.02	Army DB's vs. Ball St QB/WR	
	Army ST's vs. Ball St ST's	0.67
2.20	Army K vs. Ball St K	
0.70	Army Coaches vs. Ball St Coaches	
11.68	Army Pts vs. Ball St Pts	0.67

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Army

By 11.01 Points

Ball St Cardinals

Cardinals Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		130				9/4	Western Illinois	31-21	W	87	88	97			
1-0	1-0	0-0	1-0	126	144		11	9/11	at Penn St	13-44	L	90	94	52	22	11	25
1-1	2-0	0-0	0-0	124	122			9/18	at Wyoming	12-45	L	107	98	43	93	54	52
1-2	1-2	0-0	0-0	120	117			9/25	Toledo	12-22	L	118	104	55	103	61	46
1-3	4-0	0-1	1-0	116	123			10/2	Army West Point			122	109	45	40	53	29
	3-1		0-0		123			10/9	at Western Michigan						86	80	122
	3-1		0-0		122			10/16	at Eastern Michigan						97	110	103
	1-3		0-0		116			10/23	Miami, OH						110	116	66
	1-3		0-0		95			10/30	at Akron						123	129	129
								11/6	Bye								
	2-2		0-0		114			11/10	at Northern Illinois						81	122	109
	2-2		0-0		115			11/17	Central Michigan						54	105	71
	2-2		0-0		115			11/23	Buffalo						94	108	100

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Western Illinois	31-21	-33	1	0	18	40-216	5.4	17-28	188	0	17	24-70	2.9	30-43	367	2
at Penn St	13-44	-198	-12	-2	20	26-69	2.7	30-45	226	1	32	48-240	5.0	22-31	253	3
at Wyoming	12-45	-118	0	-3	19	41-118	2.9	21-34	142	6	19	39-177	4.5	14-23	201	1
Toledo	12-22	-132	-2	0	17	35-122	3.5	21-36	190	4	19	44-272	6.2	12-20	172	3
Army West Point																
at Western Michigan																
at Eastern Michigan																
Miami, OH																
at Akron																
Bye																
at Northern Illinois																
Central Michigan																
Buffalo																
Average	17-33	-120.3	-3.3	-1.3	19	36-131	3.7	62.2%	187	7.7%	22	39-190	4.9	66.7%	248	7.7%
Conference	12-22	-132.0	-2.0	0.0	17	35-122	3.5	58.3%	190	11.1%	19	44-272	6.2	60.0%	172	15.0%
Home	22-22	-82.5	-0.5	0.0	18	38-169	4.5	59.4%	189	6.3%	18	34-171	5.0	66.7%	270	7.9%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

None

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Projected Box Score

Army		Ball St
	Projected Rushing	
333 yards	Army	90 yards
	Projected Passing	
42 yards	Army	211 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
375 yards	Army	301 yards
	Projected Final Score	
33 points	Army	16 points
	Experience Rankings	
54	Army	14
	Team Schedule Strength	
96	Army	48

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Army By 7.5
Las Vegas Total	47.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Army By 4.5
Game Grade	Army By 20.3
Computer Yards	Army 375-301
Computer Points	Army 33-16
Phil Steele	Army by 14

Phil's Forecast:

Army won 33-24 in last outing in 2014. Black Knights are just 1-3 SU & ATS since 2011 in the series. The home team is 5-1 SU & 4-2 ATS all time in this series. Jeff Monken is 12-23 SU on the road but did win at Georgia St in the opener 43-10. Last week they took on a MAC team and Army's Anderson got a 72 yd TD run on the 3rd play and a 75 yd TD run in 2Q but left in 4Q with shoulder injury. Army led 17-3 at half after a blocked punt got Army a late FG and Army went 99/18 for TD 23-3 lead 11:22 left Miami got 80 yd TD pass to Davis but punt and Army 23-11 run out clock 23-10 final. Ball St won the MAC title last year and knocked off San Jose St in the bowl. This year they opened a very disappointing 0-3 ATS with blow out losses to Penn St and Wyoming. Last week in their MAC opener Toledo got a 69 yd TD pass and 70 yd TD run by Finn in the 1H and while Ball St had a 14-7 FD edge and 248-223 yard-edge Toledo led 14-9 with Ball settling for 3 FG's (45, 27, 29). Toledo had 12-3 FD edge in 2H settling for 3 FG (33, 22 & a miss). Down 8 Ball try lateral play and Toledo safety at :00, 22-12. Ball has not faced an option team so they figure to struggle especially in a MAC sandwich with a defense that is allowing foes 63 ypg above their season average and just allowed Toledo 272 (6.2) on the ground. Army struggles vs potent pass attacks and last year Drew Plitt hit 66% with a 17-6 ratio but has gotten off to a slow start this year at 61% with a 2-3 ratio. Ball has a much more important game on deck vs WMich. Army is playing to an AGG of 104.7 and Ball is at just 81.4 (Army by 20.8). This one will be higher scoring than expected.

Army 38 Ball St 24

Indiana Hoosiers

Hoosiers Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	141	143	17	18	9/4	at Iowa	6-34	L	30	8	58	64	22	4
0-1		0-1		137				9/11	Idaho	56-14	W	42	7	62			
1-1	2-0	0-1	0-0	137	139		8	9/18	Cincinnati	24-38	L	68	11	13	32	6	107
1-2	1-1	0-1	0-0	133	117			9/25	at WKU	33-31	W	83	24	33	71	96	50
2-2	4-0	0-1	1-0	131	143		4	10/2	at Penn St			82	37	28	29	9	20
								10/9	Bye								
	4-0		2-0		133			10/16	Michigan St						27	58	87
	3-1		1-0		141			10/23	Ohio St						1	20	37
	4-0		1-0		127			10/30	at Maryland						13	16	35
	4-0		1-0		140			11/6	at Michigan						8	19	3
	3-1		0-1		134			11/13	Rutgers						98	23	6
	2-2		0-1		130			11/20	Minnesota						79	39	78
	3-1		1-0		128			11/27	at Purdue						61	30	67

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Iowa	6-34	-70	-7	-1	11	31-77	2.5	14-33	156	1	18	36-158	4.4	13-28	145	2
Idaho	56-14	77	7	1	20	50-179	3.6	13-20	159	2	13	22-65	3.0	23-39	196	2
Cincinnati	24-38	48	0	-2	20	37-152	4.1	17-40	224	1	20	36-118	3.3	20-36	210	1
at WKU	33-31	49	11	0	35	39-134	3.4	35-53	373	3	24	20-93	4.7	31-44	365	1
at Penn St																
Bye																
Michigan St																
Ohio St																
at Maryland																
at Michigan																
Rutgers																
Minnesota																
at Purdue																
Average	30-29	26.0	2.8	-0.5	22	39-136	3.5	54.1%	228	4.8%	19	29-109	3.8	59.2%	229	4.1%
Conference	6-34	-70.0	-7.0	-1.0	11	31-77	2.5	42.4%	156	3.0%	18	36-158	4.4	46.4%	145	7.1%
Away	20-33	-10.5	2.0	-0.5	23	35-106	3.0	57.0%	265	4.7%	21	28-126	4.5	61.1%	255	4.2%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
2-2	4-0
vs. BIG 10	vs. BIG 10
0-1	1-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Indiana		Penn St
#89	Rush Off	#109
#68	Pass Off	#18
#91	**Total Off**	**#51**
#64	Score Off	#56
#51	Sks Allowed	#70
#33	Rush Def	#46
#73	Pass Def	#47
#54	**Total Def**	**#45**
#92	Score Def	#12
#94	Sks By	#94
#74	Ypg Diff	#40
-2	**Total TO's**	**+5**

Indiana Hoosiers | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Penn St Nittany Lions**

Position by Position Edges

Indiana		Penn St
	Indiana QB/WR vs. Penn St DB's	1.96
	Indiana RB's vs. Penn St LB's	2.07
	Indiana OL vs. Penn St DL	0.85
0.00	Indiana DL vs. Penn St OL	
1.65	Indiana LB'S vs. Penn St RB's	
	Indiana DB's vs. Penn St QB/WR	0.05
	Indiana ST's vs. Penn St ST's	0.77
	Indiana K vs. Penn St K	1.20
	Indiana Coaches vs. Penn St Coaches	0.20
1.66	Indiana Pts vs. Penn St Pts	7.10

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Penn St

By 5.44 Points

Penn St Nittany Lions

Nittany Lions Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	142	142	19	12	9/4	at Wisconsin	16-10	W	18	12	9	23	16	83
1-0	1-0	1-0	0-0	144	126	11		9/11	Ball St	44-13	W	22	11	25	90	94	52
2-0	2-0	1-0	0-0	146	135	10	22	9/18	Auburn	28-20	W	34	8	24	6	21	27
3-0		1-0		145		6		9/25	Villanova	38-17	W	33	10	20			
4-0	2-2	1-0	0-1	143	131	4		10/2	Indiana			29	9	20	82	37	28
	4-0		1-0		144			10/9	at Iowa						104	2	5
								10/16	Bye								
	1-4		1-2		121			10/23	Illinois						96	73	57
	3-1		1-0		141			10/30	at Ohio St						1	20	37
	4-0		1-0		127			11/6	at Maryland						13	16	35
	4-0		1-0		140			11/13	Michigan						8	19	3
	3-1		0-1		134			11/20	Rutgers						98	23	6
	4-0		2-0		133			11/27	at Michigan St						27	58	87

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Wisconsin	16-10	-62	-18	3	11	18-50	2.8	18-33	247	2	29	58-174	3.0	22-37	185	2
Ball St	44-13	198	12	2	32	48-240	5.0	22-31	253	3	20	26-69	2.7	30-45	226	1
Auburn	28-20	29	-2	0	22	33-94	2.8	29-33	302	0	24	40-182	4.6	21-39	185	0
Villanova	38-17	229	5	0	20	34-80	2.4	22-31	429	3	15	26-58	2.2	20-34	222	3
Indiana																
at Iowa																
Bye																
Illinois																
at Ohio St																
at Maryland																
Michigan																
Rutgers																
at Michigan St																
Average	32-15	98.5	-0.8	1.3	21	33-116	3.5	71.1%	308	6.3%	22	38-121	3.2	60.0%	205	3.9%
Conference	16-10	-62.0	-18.0	3.0	11	18-50	2.8	54.5%	247	6.1%	29	58-174	3.0	59.5%	185	5.4%
Home	37-17	152.0	5.0	0.7	25	38-138	3.6	76.8%	328	6.3%	20	31-103	3.4	60.2%	211	3.4%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Indiana	-	62	36	16	26-41	19-36-170	
Penn St	8	-6	35	27	52-250	24-35-238	-1
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Indiana	24	54.5	27	23	31-91	31-41-371	
Penn St	9	-15	34	21	45-192	11-23-179	1
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Indiana	-	57.5	28	32	45-224	35-55-330	
Penn St	18	-14.5	33	20	36-174	20-37-243	1
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Indiana	-	63	14	19	47-177	15-32-175	
Penn St	4	-18	45	20	37-39	24-37-331	3
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Indiana	-	59.5	31	20	41-110	24-41-344	
Penn St	12	-7	45	18	45-77	16-30-332	3

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Projected Box Score

	Projected Rushing		
69 yards	Indiana	Penn St	134 yards
	Projected Passing		
200 yards	Indiana	Penn St	294 yards
	Projected Yardage Total		
269 yards	Indiana	Penn St	428 yards
	Projected Final Score		
17 points	Indiana	Penn St	32 points
	Experience Rankings		
40	Indiana	Penn St	99
	Team Schedule Strength		
37	Indiana	Penn St	32

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Penn St By 12.5
Las Vegas Total	53.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Penn St By 17.5
Game Grade	Penn St By 15.8
Computer Yards	Penn St 428-269
Computer Points	Penn St 32-17
Phil Steele	Penn St by 14

Phil's Forecast:

Indiana is just 2-22 in the series and is in search of its first win in State College (0-11 SU, 5-6 ATS). Last time here ('19), Indiana overcame 2 fumbles, a failed fake punt and a dropped TD in a narrow 34-27 loss (+15) to #9 Penn St. Last year's thriller Indy got its first win over Top ten team since 1987. Penn St had a 488-211 yd edge. Indy turned a pair of int's into 10 pts (22 & 4 yd drives) and led 17-7 at half. Penn St had 3 TO and two miss FG's and was SOD on 4&1 at Indy 25 but rallied to lead 21-20. Indy let Penn St RB Ford score a TD 21-20 with 1:20 left to get a chance and then got TD and 2 pt to tie 28-28 and won on controversial 2 pt conversion by QB Penix. Indiana is 7-1 ATS as an AD the last 4 years. The Hoosiers were only -22 ypg in losses to Iowa (34-6) and Cincy (38-14). Last week Penix hit 34-53-373 as Indy entered 1-2 with losses to ranked teams. Indiana had 2 TD and 4 FG on first 6 poss and led 14-0 and 23-14 at half. Up 26-24 Indy 86/14 TD 4:27 left WKU 4&7 own 33 FD 75/8 TD 2:43. Indy 3&8 own 37 10 yd pass and run out clock, 33-31 (507-458). Penn St was dominated by Wisconsin in the 1H but kept it 0-0 and won on the road 16-10, dominated defending MAC champ Ball St and with a White Out beat Auburn 28-20. Last week they were -27' vs a top notch FCS team in Villanova and Penn St led 38-3 with 467-121 yd edge but Villanova went 75/8 and 94/10 for a pair of garbage TD's the last with 1:28 left. Penn St is playing with legitimate revenge, but the Hoosiers are a tough squad.

Penn St 31 Indiana 17

Memphis Tigers

Tigers Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		123				9/4	Nicholls	42-17	W	36	66	60			
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	126	111			9/11	at Arkansas St	55-50	W	35	66	1	77	107	83
2-0	2-0	0-0	0-0	125	132			9/18	Miss St	31-29	W	18	57	12	49	24	59
3-0	3-0	0-0	1-0	127	127			9/25	UTSA	28-31	L	13	69	3	62	52	14
3-1	2-2	0-0	0-0	125	107			10/2	at Temple			19	76	7	103	78	115
	1-3		0-0		122			10/9	at Tulsa						35	59	124
	0-3		0-1		114			10/16	Navy						128	96	127
	2-1		0-0		128			10/23	at UCF						7	70	107
								10/30	Bye								
	4-0		0-0		127			11/6	SMU						6	92	105
	2-2		0-0		121			11/13	East Carolina						85	94	42
	3-1		1-0		122			11/19	at Houston						89	56	18
	1-3		0-0		123			11/27	Tulane						72	106	40

	Score	Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
	Nicholls	42-17	288	15	1	32	53-322	6.1	19-32	265	0	17	28-100	3.6	19-34	199	0
at	Arkansas St	55-50	0	-11	-2	24	37-263	7.1	22-33	417	4	35	32-98	3.1	42-66	582	2
	Miss St	31-29	-222	-14	0	12	25-87	3.5	16-28	159	1	26	16-49	3.1	50-67	419	2
	UTSA	28-31	8	-9	-1	16	32-78	2.4	15-25	329	2	25	62-205	3.3	19-30	194	2
at	Temple																
at	Tulsa																
	Navy																
at	UCF																
	Bye																
	SMU																
	East Carolina																
at	Houston																
	Tulane																
	Average	39-32	18.5	-4.8	-0.5	21	37-188	5.1	61.0%	293	5.9%	26	35-113	3.3	66.0%	349	3.0%
	Conference	0-0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
	Away	55-50	0.0	-11.0	-2.0	24	37-263	7.1	66.7%	417	12.1%	35	32-98	3.1	63.6%	582	3.0%

OVERALL: 3-1 **vs. AAC** 0-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Memphis		Temple
#46	Rush Off	#104
#26	Pass Off	#83
#21	**Total Off**	**#110**
#18	Score Off	#89
#51	Sks Allowed	#81
#38	Rush Def	#95
#128	Pass Def	#1
#118	**Total Def**	**#14**
#105	Score Def	#101
#94	Sks By	#104
#80	Ypg Diff	#64
-2	**Total TO's**	**-2**

Memphis Tigers | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Temple Owls**

Position by Position Edges

Memphis		Temple
	Memphis QB/WR vs. Temple DB's	0.45
1.83	Memphis RB's vs. Temple LB's	
0.38	Memphis OL vs. Temple DL	
1.30	Memphis DL vs. Temple OL	
1.42	Memphis LB'S vs. Temple RB's	
	Memphis DB's vs. Temple QB/WR	0.10
4.54	Memphis ST's vs. Temple ST's	
	Memphis K vs. Temple K	1.45
	Memphis Coaches vs. Temple Coaches	0.35
9.47	Memphis Pts vs. Temple Pts	2.35

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Memphis

By 7.12 Points

Temple Owls

Owls Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	112	128			9/4	at Rutgers	14-61	L	106	111	118	99	49	5
0-1	0-1	0-0	0-0	108	96			9/11	at Akron	45-24	W	110	111	122	128	125	64
1-1	2-0	0-0	0-0	110	125			9/18	Boston College	3-28	L	112	102	129	37	86	11
1-2		0-0		108				9/25	Wagner	41-7	W	110	77	128			
2-2	3-1	0-0	0-0	107	125			10/2	Memphis			103	78	115	19	76	7
	3-0		0-0		142			10/9	at Cincinnati						52	7	80
								10/16	Bye								
	1-3		0-0		113			10/23	at USF						112	123	117
	2-1		0-0		128			10/30	UCF						7	70	107
	2-2		0-0		121			11/6	at East Carolina						85	94	42
	3-1		1-0		122			11/13	Houston						89	56	18
	1-3		0-0		122			11/20	at Tulsa						35	59	124
	0-3		0-1		114			11/27	Navy						128	96	127

	Score	Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at	Rutgers	14-61	-104	-9	-5	12	36-113	3.1	8-27	148	3	21	51-220	4.3	16-29	145	0
at	Akron	45-24	60	-7	2	19	34-177	5.2	19-23	245	0	26	43-171	4.0	19-34	191	3
	Boston College	3-28	18	0	1	13	36-78	2.2	17-24	161	4	13	35-187	5.3	5-13	34	0
	Wagner	41-7	248	14	0	22	29-115	4.0	22-33	292	2	8	48-123	2.6	4-9	36	2
	Memphis																
at	Cincinnati																
	Bye																
at	USF																
	UCF																
at	East Carolina																
	Houston																
at	Tulsa																
	Navy																
	Average	26-30	55.5	-0.5	-0.5	17	34-121	3.6	61.7%	212	8.4%	17	44-175	4.0	51.8%	102	5.9%
	Conference	0-0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
	Home	22-18	133.0	7.0	0.5	18	33-97	3.0	68.4%	227	10.5%	11	42-155	3.7	40.9%	35	9.1%

OVERALL: 2-2 **vs. AAC** 0-0

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Memphis	-	-13.5	41	24	41-176	17-36-313	
Temple	-	70	29	30	33-113	41-63-387	-1
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Memphis	23	-4.5	28	28	33-129	28-44-363	
Temple	-	49.5	30	27	48-193	24-37-263	2
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Memphis	-	-10	34	15	32-149	17-26-174	
Temple	-	57.5	27	27	29-86	36-59-445	-2

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Projected Box Score

	Projected Rushing		
215 yards	Memphis	Temple	102 yards
	Projected Passing		
183 yards	Memphis	Temple	274 yards
	Projected Yardage Total		
398 yards	Memphis	Temple	376 yards
	Projected Final Score		
41 points	Memphis	Temple	24 points
	Experience Rankings		
82	Memphis	Temple	108
	Team Schedule Strength		
66	Memphis	Temple	119

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Memphis By 11.5
Las Vegas Total	59.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Memphis By 14.3
Game Grade	Memphis By 10.5
Computer Yards	Memphis 398-376
Computer Points	Memphis 41-24
Phil Steele	Memphis by 17

Phil's Forecast:

Last time here ('19) the Tigers were ranked #23 and were a slight favorite (-4') on the road in Philadelphia. Memphis trailed the entire game and despite a late 4Q rally would fall short to the Owls 30-28. Home team has won four straight meetings in this series. The Owls led at half last year 15-10. However, Memphis would outscore Temple 31-14 in the 2H with Memphis going 88/8 for a clinching TD with 2:15 left and Owls lost 41-29 but covered the 13'. Memphis is 14-11-1 ATS as an AF but Silverfield is 0-5 ATS in road games. Memphis did give up a late 2 late TD's to Ark St on their only road trip and only won 55-50 but the yards were 680-680. They were outgained 468-246 by Miss St but escaped with a FR and questionable PR TD and won 31-29. Last week Memphis jumped out to a 21-0 lead, but UTSA rallied with a FG at :00 for a 31-28 road upset. Temple lost to Rutgers and BC by 36 ppg but were only -43 ypg. Last week a weak FCS team Wagner took open drive 80/9 for TD but Temple led 17-7 H and had 407-79 yd edge after that open drive and won 41-7. Georgia transfer Dwan Mathis returned to the lineup and after hitting 8-24 vs Rutgers was 22-32 vs the weak Wagner defense. True frosh Seth Henigan has thrown for 1147 (61%, 9-1) with WR Calvin Autin avg 19.7 and TE Sean Dykes 18.9 ypc. My computer has this 41-24 and I will agree.

Memphis 41 Temple 24

Kansas Jayhawks

Jayhawks Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		108				9/4	South Dakota	17-14	W	127	121	117			
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	108	129		17	9/11	at Coastal Carolina	22-49	L	124	116	41	17	50	97
1-1	2-0	0-0	0-0	108	128			9/18	Baylor	7-45	L	125	114	76	70	28	60
1-2	2-1	0-1	0-0	105	117			9/25	at Duke	33-52	L	127	122	85	25	86	17
1-3	2-2	0-1	0-1	105	140			10/2	at Iowa St			121	127	81	42	25	118
								10/9	Bye								
	3-1		0-1		123			10/16	Texas Tech						36	65	75
	4-0		1-0		142			10/23	Oklahoma						14	8	14
	4-0		1-0		132			10/30	at Oklahoma St						80	34	83
	2-2		0-1		130			11/6	Kansas St						77	51	17
	3-1		1-0		142			11/13	at Texas						5	77	59
	2-1		0-0		132			11/20	at TCU						16	71	43
	2-2		0-1		132			11/27	West Virginia						87	32	13

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
South Dakota	17-14	-18	-2	0	12	41-82	2.0	17-26	163	1	14	41-165	4.0	10-22	98	1
at Coastal Carolina	22-49	-50	-11	1	16	38-172	4.5	15-30	238	6	27	40-215	5.4	17-21	245	1
Baylor	7-45	-410	-21	1	8	33-109	3.3	8-18	57	0	29	45-307	6.8	19-24	269	0
at Duke	33-52	-77	-6	0	21	40-207	5.2	19-32	323	1	27	52-279	5.4	22-29	328	0
at Iowa St																
Bye																
Texas Tech																
Oklahoma																
at Oklahoma St																
Kansas St																
at Texas																
at TCU																
West Virginia																
Average	20-40	-138.8	-10.0	0.5	14	38-143	3.8	55.7%	195	7.5%	24	45-242	5.4	70.8%	235	2.1%
Conference	7-45	-410.0	-21.0	1.0	8	33-109	3.3	44.4%	57	0.0%	29	45-307	6.8	79.2%	269	0.0%
Away	28-51	-63.5	-8.5	0.5	19	39-190	4.9	54.8%	281	11.3%	27	46-247	5.4	78.0%	287	2.0%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
1-3	2-2
vs. BIG 12	vs. BIG 12
0-1	0-1

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Kansas		Iowa St
#84	Rush Off	#76
#95	Pass Off	#48
#107	**Total Off**	**#61**
#109	Score Off	#79
#70	Sks Allowed	#23
#125	Rush Def	#6
#79	Pass Def	#12
#123	**Total Def**	**#3**
#124	Score Def	#27
#125	Sks By	#34
#123	Ypg Diff	#11
+2	**Total TO's**	**-1**

Kansas Jayhawks | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Iowa St Cyclones**

Position by Position Edges

Kansas		Iowa St
	Kansas QB/WR vs. Iowa St DB's	0.94
	Kansas RB's vs. Iowa St LB's	3.04
	Kansas OL vs. Iowa St DL	2.57
	Kansas DL vs. Iowa St OL	1.65
	Kansas LB'S vs. Iowa St RB's	1.36
	Kansas DB's vs. Iowa St QB/WR	1.83
4.31	Kansas ST's vs. Iowa St ST's	
	Kansas K vs. Iowa St K	1.20
	Kansas Coaches vs. Iowa St Coaches	2.95
4.31	Kansas Pts vs. Iowa St Pts	15.54

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Iowa St

By 11.22 Points

Iowa St Cyclones

Cyclones Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		146		7		9/4	Northern Iowa	16-10	W	2	20	110			
1-0	1-0	0-0	1-0	142	147	9	10	9/11	Iowa	17-27	L	4	23	69	72	16	3
1-1	0-2	0-0	0-0	141	106	14		9/18	UNLV	48-3	W	10	18	121	120	125	83
2-1	3-0	0-0	1-0	143	132	14		9/25	at Baylor	29-31	L	38	20	93	9	31	77
2-2	1-3	0-1	0-1	140	105			10/2	Kansas			42	25	118	121	127	81
	2-2		0-1		130			10/9	at Kansas St						77	51	17
	4-0		1-0		132			10/16	Oklahoma St						80	34	83
	2-2		0-1		132			10/23	at West Virginia						87	32	13
	3-1		1-0		142			10/30	Texas						5	77	59
	3-1		0-1		123			11/6	at Texas Tech						36	65	75
	4-0		1-0		142			11/13	at Oklahoma						14	8	14
	2-1		0-0		132			11/20	TCU						16	71	43

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Northern Iowa	16-10	60	4	2	17	34-136	4.0	21-26	199	1	13	26-45	1.7	21-34	230	2
Iowa	17-27	166	10	-3	21	27-87	3.2	24-43	252	2	11	39-67	1.7	11-21	106	4
UNLV	48-3	363	20	0	27	37-184	5.0	23-30	309	0	7	31-36	1.2	10-19	94	3
at Baylor	29-31	197	12	0	27	40-216	5.4	22-33	263	2	15	33-118	3.6	14-19	164	2
Kansas																
at Kansas St																
Oklahoma St																
at West Virginia																
Texas																
at Texas Tech																
at Oklahoma																
TCU																
Average	28-18	196.5	11.5	-0.3	23	35-156	4.5	68.2%	256	3.8%	12	32-67	2.1	60.2%	149	11.8%
Conference	29-31	197.0	12.0	0.0	27	40-216	5.4	66.7%	263	6.1%	15	33-118	3.6	73.7%	164	10.5%
Home	17-19	113.0	7.0	-0.5	19	31-112	3.7	65.2%	226	4.3%	12	33-56	1.7	58.2%	168	10.9%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Kansas	-	50	22	15	34-73	18-33-167	
Iowa St	23	-27.5	52	26	35-258	25-36-294	1
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Kansas	-	58.5	31	22	32-165	23-44-328	
Iowa St	-	-24.5	41	24	35-117	29-42-372	-1
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Kansas	-	47.5	3	20	40-147	19-43-185	
Iowa St	-	-16.5	27	20	38-121	17-24-273	1
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Kansas	-	64.5	0	5	33-62	11-26-44	
Iowa St	-	-23	45	15	43-106	18-30-212	2
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Kansas	-	56	24	25	40-244	26-38-171	
Iowa St	-	-11	31	24	46-238	21-30-220	1

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Projected Box Score

Kansas		Iowa St
	Projected Rushing	
46 yards	Kansas	260 yards
	Projected Passing	
123 yards	Kansas	308 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
169 yards	Kansas	568 yards
	Projected Final Score	
10 points	Kansas	49 points
	Experience Rankings	
97	Kansas	29
	Team Schedule Strength	
56	Kansas	51

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Iowa St By 34.5
Las Vegas Total	57.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Iowa St By 39.0
Game Grade	Iowa St By 36.0
Computer Yards	Iowa St 568-169
Computer Points	Iowa St 49-10
Phil Steele	Iowa St by 39

Phil's Forecast:

101st meeting, ISU trails 50-44-6. Cyclones have won 10 of the last 11 games and have covered 6 of the last 9 meetings including last year's 52-22 win as 27'-pt chalk. Kansas at home (30 mph winds) only trailed 13-7 (IST 13-0 after 1st 2 poss) mid 2Q and it was 38-22 mid 4Q when Iowa St got 58/1 & 55/2 TD "drives" to pull away 52-22 but did have a 552-240 yd edge with Breece Hall rushing for 185. ISU is 4-1 ATS in B12 home openers under Campbell. Last time here ('19) KU was travelling to Ames for their road finale. KU kept game close & ISU needed late TD to edge KU, 41-31. Iowa St has a bye on deck. Iowa St has just one cover in the first two games the last 6 years but then usually turns it on and destroyed UNLV in week 3 48-3. Last week Iowa St was #1 FBS allowing just 194 ypg but Baylor scored TD's on first 3 poss. Iowa St had 2 TD drives but just 9 pts on 5 other trips inside Baylor 30. ST's were huge with a KR TD, 41 yd PR (both by Ebner) that set up FG and a partial blk punt set up Bay's 2nd TD with P Power 4-54.5. Baylor led 21-10, 21-13 H. Down 31-23 IST 75/13 for TD :24 but bobble snap from center on 2 pt and NG. Iowa St had a 479-282 yd edge. Kansas gave a good effort at Coastal Carolina but just missed the cover losing 49-22 and opened 0-3 ATS. Last week Kansas went 75/10 for TD 1:04 left to lead 24-21 H. KU 62 yd run 1st play 3Q but 29 yd FG. Duke then scored 4 TD and FG next 5 poss to lead 52-33, 5:23. KU 64/13 4&G 1 int in EZ 2:34 left. KU 53/6 to Duke 13 at end. Kansas has been outscored 97-26 in the 2H of games. Breece Hall avg just 69 ypg (3.5) the first two games but 145 ypg (6.0) the last 2 and should find room again vs a KU defense that is allowing 242 (5.4). Matt Campbell is 17-8-1 ATS off a SU loss.

Iowa St 49 Kansas 10

Toledo Rockets

Rockets Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		119				9/4	Norfolk St	49-10	W	72	51	113			
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	119	137		8	9/11	at Notre Dame	29-32	L	71	55	28	14	8	18
1-1	0-2	0-0	0-0	122	113			9/18	Colorado St	6-22	L	80	65	19	104	93	109
1-2	1-2	0-0	0-0	117	120			9/25	at Ball St	22-12	W	103	61	46	118	104	55
2-2	0-4	1-0	0-0	121	93			10/2	at UMass			95	52	51	120	130	126
	2-2		0-0		114			10/9	Northern Illinois						81	122	109
	2-2		0-0		115			10/16	at Central Michigan						54	105	71
	3-1		0-0		123			10/23	Western Michigan						86	80	122
	3-1		0-0		122			11/2	Eastern Michigan						97	110	103
								11/6	Bye								
	2-2		0-0		97			11/10	at Bowling Green						127	85	24
	0-4		0-0		107			11/16	at Ohio						106	125	84
	1-3		0-0		95			11/27	Akron						123	129	129

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Norfolk St	49-10	169	7	2	21	39-205	5.3	13-17	236	3	14	42-147	3.5	8-18	125	1
at Notre Dame	29-32	-96	-11	2	16	31-132	4.3	19-32	221	5	27	39-132	3.4	24-36	317	6
Colorado St	6-22	-28	3	0	11	28-21	0.8	25-43	270	6	8	49-209	4.3	11-28	110	0
at Ball St	22-12	132	2	0	19	44-272	6.2	12-20	172	3	17	35-122	3.5	21-36	190	4
at UMass																
Northern Illinois																
at Central Michigan																
Western Michigan																
Eastern Michigan																
Bye																
at Bowling Green																
at Ohio																
Akron																
Average	27-19	44.3	0.3	1.0	17	36-158	4.4	61.6%	225	15.2%	17	41-153	3.7	54.2%	186	9.3%
Conference	22-12	132.0	2.0	0.0	19	44-272	6.2	60.0%	172	15.0%	17	35-122	3.5	58.3%	190	11.1%
Away	26-22	18.0	-4.5	1.0	18	38-202	5.4	59.6%	197	15.4%	22	37-127	3.4	62.5%	254	13.9%

OVERALL: 2-2 vs. MAC 1-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Toledo		UMass
#73	Rush Off	#114
#73	Pass Off	#88
#79	**Total Off**	**#119**
#84	Score Off	#122
#122	Sks Allowed	#81
#79	Rush Def	#126
#34	Pass Def	#118
#56	**Total Def**	**#128**
#37	Score Def	#129
#34	Sks By	#125
#67	Ypg Diff	#128
+4	**Total TO's**	**-1**

Toledo Rockets | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **UMass Minutemen**

Position by Position Edges

Toledo		UMass
1.71	Toledo QB/WR vs. UMass DB's	
1.30	Toledo RB's vs. UMass LB's	
1.47	Toledo OL vs. UMass DL	
0.81	Toledo DL vs. UMass OL	
2.05	Toledo LB'S vs. UMass RB's	
1.86	Toledo DB's vs. UMass QB/WR	
6.12	Toledo ST's vs. UMass ST's	
1.50	Toledo K vs. UMass K	
1.90	Toledo Coaches vs. UMass Coaches	
18.74	Toledo Pts vs. UMass Pts	0.00

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Toledo

By 18.74 Points

UMass Minutemen

Minutemen Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	95	126			9/4	at Pittsburgh	7-51	L	128	129	84	43	21	35
0-1	1-0	0-0	0-0	93	128			9/11	Boston College	28-45	L	127	130	121	24	73	37
0-2	1-1	0-0	0-0	95	119			9/18	Eastern Michigan	28-42	L	127	130	128	113	116	101
0-3	3-0	0-0	0-0	96	128		17	9/25	at Coastal Carolina	3-53	L	117	130	119	12	97	87
0-4	2-2	0-0	1-0	93	121			10/2	Toledo			120	130	126	95	52	51
	0-5		0-1		96			10/9	Connecticut						129	128	113
								10/16	Bye								
	0-4		0-2		120			10/23	at Florida St						50	49	82
	3-1		0-0		130			10/30	at Liberty						74	44	114
								11/6	Rhode Island								
								11/13	Maine								
	4-0		1-0		123			11/20	at Army West Point						40	53	29
	1-4		0-0		95			11/27	at New Mexico St						126	126	52

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Pittsburgh	7-51	-389	-24	1	11	27-42	1.6	14-31	167	5	35	41-223	5.4	34-45	375	1
Boston College	28-45	-136	-4	-1	20	30-121	4.0	14-29	214	0	24	43-250	5.8	14-18	221	0
Eastern Michigan	28-42	12	4	-1	30	34-206	6.1	23-39	313	1	26	42-184	4.4	16-24	323	1
at Coastal Carolina	3-53	-400	-17	0	13	24-28	1.2	18-30	130	3	30	45-312	6.9	15-25	246	0
Toledo																
Connecticut																
Bye																
at Florida St																
at Liberty																
Rhode Island																
Maine																
at Army West Point																
at New Mexico St																
Average	17-48	-228.3	-10.3	-0.3	19	29-99	3.5	53.5%	206	7.0%	29	43-242	5.7	70.5%	291	1.8%
Conference	18-48	-262.5	-14.0	0.0	16	29-82	2.9	46.7%	191	8.3%	30	42-237	5.6	76.2%	298	1.6%
Home	28-44	-62.0	0.0	-1.0	25	32-164	5.1	54.4%	264	1.5%	25	43-217	5.1	71.4%	272	2.4%

OVERALL: 0-4 vs. IND 0-0

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

None

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Projected Box Score

Toledo		UMass
	Projected Rushing	
235 yards	Toledo	93 yards
	UMass	
	Projected Passing	
241 yards	Toledo	177 yards
	UMass	
	Projected Yardage Total	
477 yards	Toledo	270 yards
	UMass	
	Projected Final Score	
37 points	Toledo	15 points
	UMass	
	Experience Rankings	
4	Toledo	106
	UMass	
	Team Schedule Strength	
85	Toledo	8
	UMass	

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Toledo By 27
Las Vegas Total	56.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Toledo By 25.5
Game Grade	Toledo By 19.5
Computer Yards	Toledo 477-270
Computer Points	Toledo 37-15
Phil Steele	Toledo by 20

Phil's Forecast:

Teams have met just twice before (77 & 86 total pts). Last time here was also their last meeting in 2015. UT trailed 28-10 at half but outscored the Minutemen 41-7 in the 2H. The Minutemen were 0-2 SU vs the Rockets in MAC play. The home team is 0-2 ATS in the series' only lined games. Toledo is in a MAC sandwich and off a huge game vs Ball State. Toledo gave ND a close game but then were upset at home by Colo St. Last week Toledo got a 69 yd TD pass and 70 yd TD run by Finn in the 1H and while Ball St had a 14-7 FD edge and 248-223 yard-edge Toledo led 14-9 with Ball settling for 3 FG's (45, 27, 29). Toledo had 12-3 FD edge in 2H settling for 3 FG (33, 22 & a miss). Down 8 Ball try laterall play and Toledo safety at :00, 22-12. UMass is an underrated team. They easily covered home vs BC and Eastern Michigan but last week CCarolina scored on 8 of 9 poss (ended gm at UM 1) and led 36-0 and 50-3 after 3Q with UMass avoiding the shutout on a 35 yd FG with 8:23 left. QB Brady Olsen is hitting 56% with a 5-3 ratio. They are allowing 91 ypg above their opp avg. Toledo is just 1-3 ATS as a DD favorite and off a HUGE MAC West win with a MAC game on deck. UMass had a 519-507 yd edge vs EMIchigan. My AGG only has Toledo by 19.

Toledo 37 UMass 17

Charlotte 49ers

49ers Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	108	114			9/4	Duke	31-28	W	121	113	103	105	102	11
1-0		0-0		110				9/11	Gardner-Webb	38-10	W	116	117	115			
2-0	0-2	0-0	0-0	108	113			9/18	at Georgia St	9-20	L	105	119	98	98	107	103
2-1	1-2	0-0	0-1	108	119			9/25	Middle Tennessee	42-39	W	91	114	97	122	87	121
3-1	1-4	1-0	1-2	111	121			10/2	at Illinois			57	118	97	96	73	57
	1-3		0-0		108			10/9	at FIU						84	99	26
								10/16	Bye								
	2-2		0-0		116			10/23	Florida Atlantic						88	87	38
	1-2		0-0		119			10/30	at WKU						65	95	41
	1-3		0-0		103			11/6	Rice						109	119	123
	2-2		1-0		113			11/13	at Louisiana Tech						101	98	108
	2-2		0-0		119			11/20	Marshall						41	79	48
	1-3		0-0		104			11/27	at Old Dominion						114	102	62

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Duke	31-28	-102	-3	2	20	40-154	3.9	19-30	324	1	23	44-352	8.0	20-29	228	3
Gardner-Webb	38-10	260	10	-1	24	46-306	6.7	15-25	168	1	14	40-164	4.1	6-22	50	2
at Georgia St	9-20	-161	-3	1	17	39-118	3.0	13-28	158	2	20	49-298	6.1	6-12	139	1
Middle Tennessee	42-39	57	5	-1	30	40-220	5.5	35-36	339	0	25	23-123	5.3	28-40	379	1
at Illinois																
at FIU																
Bye																
Florida Atlantic																
at WKU																
Rice																
at Louisiana Tech																
Marshall																
at Old Dominion																
Average	30-24	13.5	2.3	0.3	23	41-200	4.8	68.9%	247	3.4%	21	39-234	6.0	58.3%	199	6.8%
Conference	42-39	57.0	5.0	-1.0	30	40-220	5.5	97.2%	339	0.0%	25	23-123	5.3	70.0%	379	2.5%
Away	9-20	-161.0	-3.0	1.0	17	39-118	3.0	46.4%	158	7.1%	20	49-298	6.1	50.0%	139	8.3%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
3-1	1-4
vs. CUSA	vs. BIG 10
1-0	1-2

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Charlotte		Illinois
#36	Rush Off	#81
#56	Pass Off	#105
#35	**Total Off**	**#108**
#63	Score Off	#107
#16	Sks Allowed	#115
#123	Rush Def	#60
#44	Pass Def	#122
#105	**Total Def**	**#111**
#73	Score Def	#83
#82	Sks By	#25
#83	Ypg Diff	#115
+1	**Total TO's**	**+3**

Charlotte 49ers | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Illinois Fighting Illini**

Position by Position Edges

Charlotte		Illinois
0.25	Charlotte QB/WR vs. Illinois DB's	
0.14	Charlotte RB's vs. Illinois LB's	
	Charlotte OL vs. Illinois DL	0.64
	Charlotte DL vs. Illinois OL	1.76
	Charlotte LB'S vs. Illinois RB's	0.05
0.18	Charlotte DB's vs. Illinois QB/WR	
1.48	Charlotte ST's vs. Illinois ST's	
	Charlotte K vs. Illinois K	1.20
0.50	Charlotte Coaches vs. Illinois Coaches	
2.55	Charlotte Pts vs. Illinois Pts	3.65

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Illinois

By 1.11 Points

Illinois Fighting Illini

Fighting Illini Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	124	130			8/28	† Nebraska	30-22	W	66	94	49	65	54	99
1-0	0-0	1-0	0-0	127	124			9/4	UTSA	30-37	L	75	95	44	70	59	34
1-1	1-0	1-0	0-0	124	133			9/11	at Virginia	14-42	L	86	96	64	84	80	22
1-2	2-0	1-0	0-0	121	124			9/18	Maryland	17-20	L	89	92	57	29	44	37
1-3	2-1	1-1	0-0	120	129			9/25	at Purdue	9-13	L	96	73	57	49	39	74
1-4	3-1	1-2	1-0	121	111			10/2	Charlotte			0	0	0	57	118	97
	1-2		0-1		135			10/9	Wisconsin						46	4	91
								10/16	Bye								
	4-0		1-0		143			10/23	at Penn St						29	9	20
	3-1		0-1		134			10/30	Rutgers						98	23	6
	2-2		0-1		130			11/6	at Minnesota						79	39	78
								11/13	Bye								
	4-0		1-0		144			11/20	at Iowa						104	2	5
	2-2		0-1		123			11/27	Northwestern						53	86	76

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
† Nebraska	30-22	-66	-1	0	18	48-167	3.5	15-19	159	3	19	39-160	4.1	16-32	232	5
UTSA	30-37	-85	-2	0	24	35-146	4.2	22-43	266	0	26	50-217	4.3	20-32	280	1
at Virginia	14-42	-219	-11	0	20	27-116	4.3	24-45	221	3	31	33-133	4.0	28-40	423	0
Maryland	17-20	-146	-5	1	19	45-150	3.3	10-26	185	6	24	27-131	4.9	32-43	350	3
at Purdue	9-13	-40	0	2	17	42-175	4.2	14-27	100	2	17	26-38	1.5	24-40	277	3
Charlotte																
Wisconsin																
Bye																
at Penn St																
Rutgers																
at Minnesota																
Bye																
at Iowa																
Northwestern																
Average	20-27	-111.2	-3.8	0.6	20	39-151	3.8	53.1%	186	8.8%	23	35-136	3.9	64.2%	312	6.4%
Conference	19-18	-84.0	-2.0	1.0	18	45-164	3.6	54.2%	148	15.3%	20	31-110	3.6	62.6%	286	9.6%
Home	24-29	-115.5	-3.5	0.5	22	40-148	3.7	46.4%	226	8.7%	25	39-174	4.5	69.3%	315	5.3%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

None

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Projected Box Score

Charlotte		Illinois
	Projected Rushing	
122 yards	Charlotte	279 yards
	Projected Passing	
219 yards	Charlotte	210 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
341 yards	Charlotte	489 yards
	Projected Final Score	
18 points	Charlotte	32 points
	Experience Rankings	
113	Charlotte	15
	Team Schedule Strength	
127	Charlotte	1

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Illinois By 11
Las Vegas Total	53.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Illinois By 13.0
Game Grade	Illinois By 13.2
Computer Yards	Illinois 489-341
Computer Points	Illinois 32-18
Phil Steele	Illinois by 14

Phil's Forecast:

First meeting and Charlotte's first game ever against a Big 10 foe. 49ers have lost 12 straight non conf road games SU. Illinois has won its last 3 games vs CUSA foes but only by an avg of 7.7 ppg and needed 4Q comebacks in '14 vs WKU (42-34) and '15 vs Middle Tenn (27-25) to secure wins in both. Bret Bielema has his old school Wisconsin on deck and is in a Big Ten sandwich. Charlotte is a young team but opened 2-0 including an upset of Duke but did lose their only road game 20-9 to a then winless Georgia St. Last week Middle Tenn led 17-14 at half and the team traded scores but MT punted once and got behind 42-32 then drove 75/8 for TD 2:12 left but Charlotte recovered the onside 42-39 (559-502). Illinois upset Nebraska in the opener but lost QB Brandon Peters for two games. Peters returned vs MD and struggled but Illinois did lead MD 17-10 with 3:00 to go but lost by 3. Last week Illinois was without RB Chase Brown and LB Jake Hansen. Josh McCray rushed 24-156 in his first start. Purdue settled 23 & 30 yd FG 1st 2 poss then punted next 5. 6-3 H Illinois FG and miss 54 yd FG O'Connell 60/7 int in EZ IL 53/6 45 yd FG 14:51 9-6. PU INT Ill 4&2 PU 34 punt Purdue 94/10 TD 5:44 left, 13-9. ILL 56/13 4&10 19 INC SOD :40 left. Illinois has actually faced the #1 toughest schedule so far and Charlotte is way down at #127 so despite Illinois being -111 ypg and Charlotte +14 my AGG has Illinois at 96.7 and Charlotte just 86.2 (Ill by 13.5). Illinois is holding foes to 38 ypg below their season avg and Charlotte is allowing team 138 ypg above their avg.

Illinois 34 Charlotte 20

Louisville Cardinals

Cardinals Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	130	138			9/6	† Mississippi	24-43	L	63	70	80	7	60	103
0-1		0-0		129				9/11	Eastern Kentucky	30-3	W	64	77	67			
1-1	2-0	0-0	0-0	128	128			9/18	UCF	42-35	W	79	82	41	7	61	100
2-1	0-3	0-0	0-1	128	120			9/25	at Florida St	31-23	W	72	89	71	50	51	73
3-1	4-0	1-0	2-0	128	135		24	10/2	at Wake Forest			71	84	58	48	42	19
	2-2		0-2		128			10/9	Virginia						49	100	96
								10/16	Bye								
	4-0		0-0		127			10/23	Boston College						34	75	27
	3-1		1-0		134			10/30	at NC State						44	10	92
	2-2		1-1		136			11/6	Clemson						69	6	93
	3-1		0-0		128			11/13	Syracuse						60	83	55
	3-1		0-0		117			11/20	at Duke						15	97	22
	4-0		2-0		125			11/27	Kentucky						31	29	77

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
† Mississippi	24-43	-214	-9	-2	22	39-155	4.0	23-38	200	2	31	41-188	4.6	22-32	381	2
Eastern Kentucky	30-3	206	4	2	18	38-158	4.2	16-26	283	1	14	22-86	3.9	23-34	149	1
UCF	42-35	81	2	0	24	37-191	5.2	24-39	310	1	22	34-212	6.2	23-30	208	2
at Florida St	31-23	-58	-2	1	21	41-131	3.2	25-40	264	1	23	36-205	5.7	24-39	248	6
at Wake Forest																
Virginia																
Bye																
Boston College																
at NC State																
Clemson																
Syracuse																
at Duke																
Kentucky																
Average	32-26	3.8	-1.3	0.3	21	39-159	4.1	61.5%	264	3.5%	23	33-173	5.2	68.1%	247	8.1%
Conference	31-23	-58.0	-2.0	1.0	21	41-131	3.2	62.5%	264	2.5%	23	36-205	5.7	61.5%	248	15.4%
Away	28-33	-136.0	-5.5	-0.5	22	40-143	3.6	61.5%	232	3.8%	27	39-197	5.1	64.8%	315	11.3%

Wake Forest Demon Deacons

Demon Deacons Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	132	101			9/4	Old Dominion	42-10	W	39	63	65	125	124	93
1-0		0-0		132				9/11	Norfolk St	41-16	W	48	62	65			
2-0	0-2	0-0	0-0	128	122			9/18	Florida St	35-14	W	60	56	4	27	35	73
3-0	2-1	1-0	0-1	130	133			9/25	at Virginia	37-17	W	54	62	15	47	95	92
4-0	3-1	2-0	1-0	135	128	24		10/2	Louisville			48	42	19	71	84	58
	3-1		0-0		128			10/9	at Syracuse						60	83	55
								10/16	Bye								
	4-0		1-0		123			10/23	at Army West Point						40	53	29
	3-1		0-0		117			10/30	Duke						15	97	22
	2-2		1-2		134			11/6	at North Carolina						17	63	99
	3-1		1-0		134			11/13	NC State						44	10	92
	2-2		1-1		136			11/20	at Clemson						69	6	93
	4-0		0-0		127			11/27	at Boston College						34	75	27

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Old Dominion	42-10	80	3	1	20	41-164	4.0	18-29	188	2	17	39-145	3.7	18-38	127	2
Norfolk St	41-16	77	3	0	22	31-161	5.2	18-29	252	0	19	39-141	3.6	19-31	195	3
Florida St	35-14	167	11	4	27	58-225	3.9	22-31	259	3	16	29-91	3.1	16-22	226	3
at Virginia	37-17	-33	-7	2	24	45-203	4.5	17-29	270	0	31	27-99	3.7	33-59	407	6
Louisville																
at Syracuse																
Bye																
at Army West Point																
Duke																
at North Carolina																
NC State																
at Clemson																
at Boston College																
Average	39-14	72.8	2.5	1.8	23	44-188	4.3	63.6%	242	4.2%	21	34-119	3.6	57.3%	239	9.3%
Conference	36-16	67.0	2.0	3.0	26	52-214	4.2	65.0%	265	5.0%	24	28-95	3.4	60.5%	317	11.1%
Home	39-13	108.0	5.7	1.7	23	43-183	4.2	65.2%	233	5.6%	17	36-126	3.5	58.2%	183	8.8%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
3-1	4-0
vs. ACC	vs. ACC
1-0	2-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Louisville		Wake Forest
#71	Rush Off	#43
#46	Pass Off	#58
#52	**Total Off**	**#45**
#53	Score Off	#20
#23	Sks Allowed	#23
#91	Rush Def	#43
#92	Pass Def	#85
#96	**Total Def**	**#66**
#80	Score Def	#8
#34	Sks By	#9
#86	Ypg Diff	#53
+1	**Total TO's**	**+7**

Louisville Cardinals | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Wake Forest Demon Deacons**

Position by Position Edges

Louisville		Wake Forest
	Louisville QB/WR vs. Wake Forest DB's	0.36
	Louisville RB's vs. Wake Forest LB's	1.79
	Louisville OL vs. Wake Forest DL	0.75
	Louisville DL vs. Wake Forest OL	0.76
	Louisville LB'S vs. Wake Forest RB's	0.24
0.08	Louisville DB's vs. Wake Forest QB/WR	
	Louisville ST's vs. Wake Forest ST's	1.38
	Louisville K vs. Wake Forest K	0.40
	Louisville Coaches vs. Wake Forest Coaches	0.40
0.08	Louisville Pts vs. Wake Forest Pts	6.08

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Wake Forest

By 6.00 Points

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Wake Forest	-	63	21	17	31-127	17-41-224	
Louisville	-	-2	45	19	47-254	17-23-199	2
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Wake Forest	19	-7	59	40	46-245	33-56-423	
Louisville	-	65	62	22	44-225	17-25-295	1
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Wake Forest	-	67	56	28	48-368	16-24-223	
Louisville	-	-2.5	35	31	36-174	30-54-358	-1
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Wake Forest	-	66	42	26	39-164	28-34-461	
Louisville	-	-3	32	30	42-191	28-46-332	0
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Wake Forest	-	55.5	12	16	49-73	13-24-141	
Louisville	5	-35	44	20	37-346	14-26-145	-1

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Projected Box Score

	Projected Rushing	
132 yards	Louisville	Wake Forest 175 yards
	Projected Passing	
227 yards	Louisville	Wake Forest 231 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
359 yards	Louisville	Wake Forest 406 yards
	Projected Final Score	
21 points	Louisville	Wake Forest 32 points
	Experience Rankings	
100	Louisville	Wake Forest 27
	Team Schedule Strength	
42	Louisville	Wake Forest 107

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Wake Forest By 6.5
Las Vegas Total	62 Points
+/- Ratings	Wake Forest By 10.3
Game Grade	Wake Forest By 4.9
Computer Yards	Wake Forest 406-359
Computer Points	Wake Forest 32-21
Phil Steele	Wake Forest by 14

Phil's Forecast:

Last time here was 2nd highest scoring game in ACC History. UL was outgained 668-520 and allowed 59 points but remarkably they never trailed and won by a FG 62-59 (+7). WF trails series 6-2. WF is 2-5 ATS at home vs ACC Atlantic foes. Last year L'ville was -2 at home Louisville started slow with just 7 yds in 1Q (first 4 poss all 3&out) but finished with 453 (254 rush). WF was just 7 of 18 on 3rd down. WF had not played in month and QB Hartman just 17-41. Wake did trail just 28-21 in the 4Q but UL got a TD then had 3 & 25 yd drives for 10 more points in 45-21 win. L'ville has faced the tougher schedule (#42 vs #107). LV opened the season trailing Ole Miss 26-0 at half in a 19 pt loss, beat an FCS team but then upset UCF on a Friday with a late IR TD. Last week Louisville dominated on the road leading 31-7 with 1:49 left in the half and FSU got a 23 yd TD pass 1:08 left H then a Corbin 75 yd run on the 2nd play 3Q 31-20. FSU miss 47 yd FG SOD at own 44, got 45 yd FG and SOD UL 37. Down 31-23 FSU at 46 int'd at UL 5 :48 left. Louisville lost WR Braden Smith to injury and LB Monty Montgomery is OFY. WForest won their first 3 games all at home by 26 ppg with the closest being a 21 pt win over that same Florida St team. Last week they took on a Virginia team that was 19-2 SU at home. Wake scored on its first 7 poss and led 20-3 at half and won their 5th in a row over Virginia 37-17. Virginia got 93 yds in final 2:55. Sam Hartman is hitting 66% with a 9-1 ratio. WF has covered 7 straight home games and all 4 wins this year have been by 20+ pts.

Wake Forest 34 Louisville 20

W Michigan Broncos

Broncos Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	114	132			9/4	at Michigan	14-47	L	49	93	100	41	50	40
0-1		0-0		112				9/11	Illinois St	28-0	W	66	99	129			
1-1	2-0	0-0	0-0	114	127			9/18	at Pittsburgh	44-41	W	83	104	130	39	12	86
2-1	2-1	0-0	1-0	118	122			9/25	San Jose St	23-3	W	84	111	122	115	46	79
3-1	2-2	0-0	0-0	123	115			10/2	at Buffalo			86	80	122	94	108	100
	1-3		0-1		116			10/9	Ball St						122	109	45
	1-3		0-0		121			10/16	Kent St						66	107	120
	2-2		1-0		121			10/23	at Toledo						95	52	51
								10/30	Bye								
	2-2		0-0		115			11/3	Central Michigan						54	105	71
	1-3		0-0		95			11/9	Akron						123	129	129
	3-1		0-0		122			11/16	at Eastern Michigan						97	110	103
	2-2		0-0		114			11/23	at Northern Illinois						81	122	109

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Michigan	14-47	-241	-5	0	17	32-119	3.7	20-37	191	1	22	43-335	7.8	13-17	216	1
Illinois St	28-0	350	20	-1	24	51-233	4.6	15-22	174	1	4	26-28	1.1	8-19	29	4
at Pittsburgh	44-41	27	3	3	28	48-160	3.3	26-38	357	3	25	24-75	3.1	25-34	415	2
San Jose St	23-3	228	8	3	19	43-147	3.4	17-28	200	4	11	30-60	2.0	9-26	59	8
at Buffalo																
Ball St																
Kent St																
at Toledo																
Bye																
Central Michigan																
Akron																
at Eastern Michigan																
at Northern Illinois																
Average	27-23	91.0	6.5	1.3	22	44-165	3.8	62.4%	231	7.2%	16	31-125	4.0	57.3%	180	15.6%
Conference	0-0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Away	29-44	-107.0	-1.0	1.5	23	40-140	3.5	61.3%	274	5.3%	24	34-205	6.1	74.5%	316	5.9%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
3-1	2-2
vs. MAC	vs. MAC
0-0	0-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

W Michigan		Buffalo
#63	Rush Off	#31
#66	Pass Off	#89
#70	**Total Off**	**#62**
#80	Score Off	#47
#81	Sks Allowed	#1
#51	Rush Def	#86
#31	Pass Def	#51
#33	**Total Def**	**#72**
#62	Score Def	#73
#7	Sks By	#25
#45	Ypg Diff	#68
+5	**Total TO's**	**+2**

W Michigan Broncos | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Buffalo Bulls**

Position by Position Edges

W Michigan		Buffalo
1.01	W Michigan QB/WR vs. Buffalo DB's	
	W Michigan RB's vs. Buffalo LB's	0.00
	W Michigan OL vs. Buffalo DL	0.04
0.10	W Michigan DL vs. Buffalo OL	
	W Michigan LB'S vs. Buffalo RB's	0.41
1.13	W Michigan DB's vs. Buffalo QB/WR	
	W Michigan ST's vs. Buffalo ST's	2.21
	W Michigan K vs. Buffalo K	0.75
1.95	W Michigan Coaches vs. Buffalo Coaches	
4.19	W Michigan Pts vs. Buffalo Pts	3.42

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

W Michigan

By 0.77 Points

Buffalo Bulls

Bulls Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		115				9/4	Wagner	69-7	W	116	104	112			
1-0	1-1	0-0	0-1	118	127			9/11	at Nebraska	3-28	L	111	101	4	38	42	122
1-1	2-0	0-0	0-0	116	129		16	9/18	Coastal Carolina	25-28	L	108	103	36	9	70	61
1-2	1-2	0-0	0-0	117	102			9/25	at Old Dominion	35-34	W	90	112	78	120	105	68
2-2	3-1	0-0	0-0	115	123			10/2	Western Michigan			94	108	100	86	80	122
	1-3		0-0		121			10/9	at Kent St						66	107	120
	0-4		0-0		107			10/16	Ohio						106	125	84
	1-3		0-0		95			10/23	at Akron						123	129	129
	2-2		0-0		97			10/30	Bowling Green						127	85	24
	1-3		0-0		116			11/9	at Miami, OH						110	116	66
								11/13	Bye								
	2-2		0-0		114			11/17	Northern Illinois						81	122	109
	1-3		0-1		116			11/23	at Ball St						122	109	45

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Wagner	69-7	472	23	-1	30	56-312	5.6	16-22	257	0	7	35-18	0.5	7-15	79	5
at Nebraska	3-28	-157	0	0	19	33-135	4.1	27-50	224	0	19	41-220	5.4	14-20	296	0
Coastal Carolina	25-28	-36	-1	1	20	47-262	5.6	13-21	146	0	21	42-212	5.0	13-19	232	3
at Old Dominion	35-34	-136	-10	2	17	38-106	2.8	17-26	191	0	27	45-209	4.6	24-41	224	4
Western Michigan																
at Kent St																
Ohio																
at Akron																
Bowling Green																
at Miami, OH																
Bye																
Northern Illinois																
at Ball St																
Average	33-24	35.8	3.0	0.5	22	44-204	4.7	61.3%	205	0.0%	19	41-165	4.0	61.1%	208	12.6%
Conference	0-0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Home	47-18	218.0	11.0	0.0	25	52-287	5.6	67.4%	202	0.0%	14	39-115	3.0	58.8%	156	23.5%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2017	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Western Michigan	-	-6.5	71	34	68-376	24-31-289	
Buffalo	-	49.5	68	30	33-86	35-61-597	0
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Western Michigan	14	-35	38	29	34-181	29-37-445	
Buffalo	-	56	0	13	30-128	12-22-140	0

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Projected Box Score

W Michigan		Buffalo
	Projected Rushing	
192 yards	W Michigan	Buffalo 182 yards
	Projected Passing	
243 yards	W Michigan	Buffalo 169 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
435 yards	W Michigan	Buffalo 351 yards
	Projected Final Score	
34 points	W Michigan	Buffalo 27 points
	Experience Rankings	
21	W Michigan	Buffalo 114
	Team Schedule Strength	
41	W Michigan	Buffalo 110

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	W Michigan By 7
Las Vegas Total	59.5 Points
+/- Ratings	W Michigan By 4.3
Game Grade	W Michigan By 6.2
Computer Yards	W Michigan 435-351
Computer Points	W Michigan 34-27
Phil Steele	W Michigan by 11

Phil's Forecast:

Have met just 9 times, all since Buffalo joined the MAC in 1999 but 3 have ended in OT. That includes their last meeting in '17, that went to 7 OT's ending in a 71-68 Buffalo loss as a 6' pt HD. The Broncos are 7-2 SU but just 3-6 ATS vs the Bulls including 2 straight wins (1-1 ATS). Despite each team having a shutout win, the teams have combined for an average 51 ppg in the series. Buffalo is 2-0 ATS at home this year and got a key int in the EZ vs Coastal Carolina and scored a late TD to only lose to a ranked team by 3. Last week Buffalo got a 85 yd blk FG for a TD to led 7-0. Tied 7-7 Buff had 3 straight TD drives then with ODU at their 25 got a 67 yd FR TD to led 35-7 at half. ODU dominated the 2H. The Monarchs had 3 long TD drives and fumbled at Buff 9 but drove 46/10 for apparent tying TD but after celeb pen a 30 yd xp just missed to the right in 35-34 loss with ODU 433-297 yds. Western Michigan upset Pitt on the road with a 28-25 FD edge. Last week WM was without HC Lester (covid) but San Jose St was off a late night game in Hawaii and now playing at 10 am PT on the road. WM led 20-3 at half then was SOD twice and settled for a FG in 2H and had 347-119 yard edge at home. WMich has taken the much tougher schedule (#41 vs #111) yet WM is holding foes to 78 ypg below their season avg and Buffalo is allowing 13 above.

Western Michigan 34 Buffalo 23

Ohio St Buckeyes

Buckeyes Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	145	134	4		9/2	at Minnesota	45-31	W	4	15	50	27	98	61
1-0	1-0	1-0	0-0	146	134	3	12	9/11	Oregon	28-35	L	2	15	49	18	17	20
1-1	0-2	1-0	0-0	141	124	9		9/18	Tulsa	41-20	W	1	25	54	57	52	124
2-1	1-2	1-0	0-0	141	95	10		9/25	Akron	59-7	W	1	28	35	121	128	114
3-1	3-1	1-0	0-1	141	134	11		10/2	at Rutgers			1	20	37	98	23	6
	4-0		1-0		127			10/9	Maryland						13	16	35
								10/16	Bye								
	2-2		0-1		131			10/23	at Indiana						82	37	28
	4-0		1-0		143			10/30	Penn St						29	9	20
	2-3		0-2		131			11/6	at Nebraska						33	26	130
	3-1		1-0		128			11/13	Purdue						61	30	67
	4-0		2-0		133			11/20	Michigan St						27	58	87
	4-0		1-0		140			11/27	at Michigan						8	19	3

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Minnesota	45-31	87	-7	1	17	26-201	7.7	13-22	294	0	24	50-203	4.1	14-25	205	2
Oregon	28-35	107	5	-1	32	31-128	4.1	35-54	484	2	27	38-269	7.1	17-35	236	0
Tulsa	41-20	7	-1	0	24	41-323	7.9	15-25	185	2	25	28-73	2.6	31-54	428	2
Akron	59-7	393	9	1	26	35-237	6.8	18-26	385	2	17	40-76	1.9	18-34	153	9
at Rutgers																
Maryland																
Bye																
at Indiana																
Penn St																
at Nebraska																
Purdue																
Michigan St																
at Michigan																
Average	43-23	148.5	1.5	0.3	25	33-222	6.7	63.8%	337	4.7%	23	39-155	4.0	54.1%	256	8.8%
Conference	45-31	87.0	-7.0	1.0	17	26-201	7.7	59.1%	294	0.0%	24	50-203	4.1	56.0%	205	8.0%
Away	45-31	87.0	-7.0	1.0	17	26-201	7.7	59.1%	294	0.0%	24	50-203	4.1	56.0%	205	8.0%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
3-1	3-1
vs. BIG 10	vs. BIG 10
1-0	0-1

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Ohio St		Rutgers
#19	Rush Off	#75
#10	Pass Off	#96
#2	**Total Off**	**#98**
#8	Score Off	#45
#38	Sks Allowed	#23
#81	Rush Def	#39
#101	Pass Def	#15
#88	**Total Def**	**#10**
#66	Score Def	#7
#18	Sks By	#18
#20	Ypg Diff	#47
+1	**Total TO's**	**+7**

Ohio St Buckeyes | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Rutgers Scarlet Knights**

Position by Position Edges

Ohio St		Rutgers
0.20	Ohio St QB/WR vs. Rutgers DB's	
0.45	Ohio St RB's vs. Rutgers LB's	
1.36	Ohio St OL vs. Rutgers DL	
1.98	Ohio St DL vs. Rutgers OL	
1.85	Ohio St LB'S vs. Rutgers RB's	
1.37	Ohio St DB's vs. Rutgers QB/WR	
	Ohio St ST's vs. Rutgers ST's	4.91
1.50	Ohio St K vs. Rutgers K	
1.00	Ohio St Coaches vs. Rutgers Coaches	
9.71	Ohio St Pts vs. Rutgers Pts	4.91

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Ohio St

By 4.80 Points

Rutgers Scarlet Knights

Scarlet Knights Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	128	112			9/4	Temple	61-14	W	99	49	5	106	111	118
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	132	126			9/11	at Syracuse	17-7	W	106	46	10	81	75	12
2-0		0-0		133				9/18	Delaware	45-13	W	109	40	8			
3-0	3-0	0-0	0-0	134	140		19	9/25	at Michigan	13-20	L	102	25	9	5	16	6
3-1	3-1	0-1	1-0	134	141		11	10/2	Ohio St			98	23	6	1	20	37
	4-0		2-0		133			10/9	Michigan St						27	58	87
	2-2		0-1		123			10/16	at Northwestern						53	86	76
								10/23	Bye								
	1-4		1-2		121			10/30	at Illinois						96	73	57
	1-2		0-1		135			11/6	Wisconsin						46	4	91
	2-2		0-1		131			11/13	at Indiana						82	37	28
	4-0		1-0		143			11/20	at Penn St						29	9	20
	4-0		1-0		127			11/27	Maryland						13	16	35

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Temple	61-14	104	9	5	21	51-220	4.3	16-29	145	0	12	36-113	3.1	8-27	148	3
at Syracuse	17-7	-63	2	3	16	43-50	1.2	22-28	145	4	14	30-67	2.2	19-32	191	5
Delaware	45-13	233	10	0	24	38-159	4.2	23-29	334	0	14	34-162	4.8	13-26	98	5
at Michigan	13-20	77	6	-1	21	42-196	4.7	18-31	156	1	15	38-112	2.9	9-16	163	0
Ohio St																
Michigan St																
at Northwestern																
Bye																
at Illinois																
Wisconsin																
at Indiana																
at Penn St																
Maryland																
Average	34-14	87.8	6.8	1.8	21	44-156	3.6	67.5%	195	4.3%	14	35-114	3.3	48.5%	150	12.9%
Conference	13-20	77.0	6.0	-1.0	21	42-196	4.7	58.1%	156	3.2%	15	38-112	2.9	56.3%	163	0.0%
Home	53-14	168.5	9.5	2.5	23	45-190	4.3	67.2%	240	0.0%	13	35-138	3.9	39.6%	123	15.1%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Ohio St	3	-38.5	49	25	37-203	24-28-314	
Rutgers	-	64.5	27	22	32-141	34-49-232	-1
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Ohio St	2	-52.5	56	31	44-217	21-34-377	
Rutgers	-	62	21	10	40-110	12-26-121	-1
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Ohio St	4	-35.5	52	32	40-225	30-33-354	
Rutgers	-	60.5	3	12	31-69	11-30-65	-2
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Ohio St	11	-28.5	56	24	37-275	20-31-353	
Rutgers	-	52	0	13	41-117	11-27-92	-2
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Ohio St	2	-38	58	32	53-410	25-36-259	
Rutgers	-	59.5	0	9	38-83	3-16-33	1

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Projected Box Score

Ohio St		Rutgers
	Projected Rushing	
192 yards	Ohio St	120 yards
	Projected Passing	
273 yards	Ohio St	246 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
465 yards	Ohio St	366 yards
	Projected Final Score	
30 points	Ohio St	28 points
	Experience Rankings	
129	Ohio St	19
	Team Schedule Strength	
40	Ohio St	52

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Ohio St By 15
Las Vegas Total	58.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Ohio St By 4.0
Game Grade	Ohio St By 2.1
Computer Yards	Ohio St 465-366
Computer Points	Ohio St 30-28
Phil Steele	Ohio St by 7

Phil's Forecast:

Ohio St has won all 7 meetings (5-2 ATS) by an avg of 43 ppg including 5 games where they scored 50+ pts and 4 games where they held RU to 7 pts or less (incl 2 shutouts)! Last time here ('19), OSU was a 52'-pt AF (won 56-21). Despite losing by 43 ppg, Rutgers has covered the last 2. Last year Rutgers played OSU even for 3 of 4Q's, but a decisive 2Q for OSU (28-0) was the difference (lost 49-27, +38') Ohio St led 35-3 at half with 353-83 yd edge but Rutgers used some trick plays and scored TD's on 4 straight poss's including a 52 yd PR TD (4 miss 2 pt conv) to pull to 49-27 for the final. Greg Schiano was the Ohio State DC from '16-'18. Ryan Day is 6-1-1 ATS as an AF. Ohio St struggled with Minnesota in the opener lost outright to Oregon and with 5:00 left only led Tulsa 27-20 and their defense was allowing 471 ypg. Last week Akron took 2nd drive 55/9 for TD to lead 7-0. OSU started McCord at QB with Stroud injured. OSU 4 straight TD's then pass bobble Akron WR and 46 yd IR TD, 38-7 H. Down 52-7 Akron 59/13 miss 43 yd FG 6:59 and OSU 75/10 TD 2:47 left 59-7 for cover (-48'). Rutgers was 3-0 SU and ATS to open winning by 30 ppg but were only +91 ypg. Last week Michigan entered with 350 ypg rush but was outrushed by Rutgers 196-112. UM had 20-3 lead at half with 233-121 yard edge (Rut SOD at 32) but had 0 FD 1st 4 poss 2H. Rutgers down 20-13 miss 29 yd FG, SOD Mich 38 5:24. UM 33/8 miss FG but Rutgers lost first fumble of year 1:37 left. Rutgers finish 21-15 FD 352-275 yd edge. The Knights secondary was beat up last week and that could spell trouble vs a potent OSU pass attack. Rutgers D is holding foes to 171 ypg below their season average and just 264 ypg and Ohio St is allowing foes 16 ypg above their season average. Ohio St is playing to an AGG of just 112.6 and Rutgers is at 107.5 and factor in home edge AGG has OSU by just 2.1.

Ohio St 35 Rutgers 28

ULM Warhawks

Warhawks Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	96	125			9/4	at Kentucky	10-45	L	130	126	130	67	42	52
0-1		0-0		96				9/11	Bye			130	126	109			
0-1		0-0		96				9/18	Jackson St	12-7	W	130	126	114			
1-1	2-1	0-0	0-0	94	124			9/25	Troy	29-16	W	130	124	115	104	59	105
2-1	4-0	1-0	0-0	99	127		16	10/2	at Coastal Carolina			130	117	106	11	89	44
	1-3		0-0		116			10/9	Georgia St						108	112	121
	3-1		0-0		127			10/16	Liberty						74	44	114
	3-0		0-0		105			10/23	South Alabama						102	74	72
	3-1		0-0		127			10/30	at Appalachian St						32	47	9
	1-3		0-0		104			11/6	at Texas St						118	114	69
	1-3		0-0		110			11/13	Arkansas St						90	120	53
	3-1		1-0		138			11/20	at LSU						55	18	25
	3-1		1-0		127			11/27	at Louisiana						62	91	2

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Kentucky	10-45	-467	-12	3	12	43-17	0.4	11-20	70	6	24	34-135	4.0	22-33	419	4
Bye																
Jackson St	12-7	-35	1	3	17	41-94	2.3	17-35	156	3	16	17-26	1.5	28-42	259	3
Troy	29-16	-88	-3	0	15	1-122	122.0	11-19	168	2	18	23-67	2.9	35-49	311	3
at Coastal Carolina																
Georgia St																
Liberty																
South Alabama																
at Appalachian St																
at Texas St																
Arkansas St																
at LSU																
at Louisiana																
Average	17-23	-196.7	-4.7	2.0	15	28-78	2.7	52.7%	131	14.9%	19	25-76	3.1	68.5%	330	8.1%
Conference	29-16	-88.0	-3.0	0.0	15	1-122	122.0	57.9%	168	10.5%	18	23-67	2.9	71.4%	311	6.1%
Away	10-45	-467.0	-12.0	3.0	12	43-17	0.4	55.0%	70	30.0%	24	34-135	4.0	66.7%	419	12.1%

OVERALL: 2-1 vs. SUN 1-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

ULM		Coastal Carolina
#124	Rush Off	#12
#121	Pass Off	#44
#129	**Total Off**	**#13**
#118	Score Off	#5
#99	Sks Allowed	#23
#11	Rush Def	#90
#125	Pass Def	#6
#85	**Total Def**	**#31**
#61	Score Def	#19
#45	Sks By	#45
#126	Ypg Diff	#4
+6	**Total TO's**	**-1**

ULM Warhawks | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Coastal Carolina Chanticleers**

Position by Position Edges

ULM		Coastal Carolina
	ULM QB/WR vs. Coastal Carolina DB's	1.77
	ULM RB's vs. Coastal Carolina LB's	2.37
	ULM OL vs. Coastal Carolina DL	1.69
	ULM DL vs. Coastal Carolina OL	0.91
	ULM LB'S vs. Coastal Carolina RB's	1.85
	ULM DB's vs. Coastal Carolina QB/WR	2.86
	ULM ST's vs. Coastal Carolina ST's	5.44
	ULM K vs. Coastal Carolina K	
	ULM Coaches vs. Coastal Carolina Coaches	1.25
0.00	ULM Pts vs. Coastal Carolina Pts	18.14

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Coastal Carolina

By 18.14 Points

Coastal Carolina Chanticleers

Chanticleers Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		127		22		9/4	The Citadel	52-14	W	35	40	87			
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	129	108	17		9/11	Kansas	49-22	W	17	50	97	124	116	41
2-0	1-1	0-0	0-0	129	116	16		9/18	at Buffalo	28-25	W	9	70	61	108	103	36
3-0	0-3	0-0	0-0	128	96	17		9/25	UMass	53-3	W	12	97	87	117	130	119
4-0	2-1	0-0	1-0	130	99	16		10/2	ULM			11	89	44	130	117	106
	1-3		0-0		110			10/9	at Arkansas St						90	120	53
								10/16	Bye								
	3-1		0-0		127			10/23	at Appalachian St						32	47	9
	2-2		0-1		119			10/30	Troy						105	67	94
	1-3		0-1		111			11/6	at GA Southern						113	121	63
	1-3		0-0		116			11/13	Georgia St						108	112	121
	1-3		0-0		104			11/20	Texas St						118	114	69
	3-0		0-0		105			11/27	at South Alabama						102	74	72

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
The Citadel	52-14	373	12	0	28	32-262	8.2	20-24	348	1	16	55-223	4.1	3-6	14	1
Kansas	49-22	50	11	0	27	40-215	5.4	17-21	245	1	16	38-172	4.5	15-30	238	6
at Buffalo	28-25	36	1	-1	21	42-212	5.0	13-19	232	3	20	47-262	5.6	13-21	146	0
UMass	53-3	400	17	0	30	45-312	6.9	15-25	246	0	13	24-28	1.2	18-30	130	3
ULM																
at Arkansas St																
Bye																
at Appalachian St																
Troy																
at GA Southern																
Georgia St																
Texas St																
at South Alabama																
Average	46-16	214.8	10.3	-0.3	27	40-250	6.3	73.0%	268	5.6%	16	41-171	4.2	56.3%	132	11.5%
Conference	0-0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Home	51-13	274.3	13.3	0.0	28	39-263	6.7	74.3%	280	2.9%	15	39-141	3.6	54.5%	127	15.2%

OVERALL: 4-0 vs. SUN 0-0

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2019	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Coastal Carolina	-	63.5	42	22	45-230	14-22-222	
ULM	-	-6	45	27	36-217	19-33-346	1
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Coastal Carolina	-	-6.5	20	20	52-272	12-23-167	
ULM	-	66	45	20	34-242	16-22-224	2
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Coastal Carolina	-	53	43	21	38-112	18-32-329	
ULM	-	-8	51	16	40-243	12-20-101	3

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Projected Box Score

ULM		Coastal Carolina
	Projected Rushing	
88 yards	ULM	Coastal Carolina 217 yards
	Projected Passing	
90 yards	ULM	Coastal Carolina 327 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
177 yards	ULM	Coastal Carolina 544 yards
	Projected Final Score	
10 points	ULM	Coastal Carolina 42 points
	Experience Rankings	
86	ULM	Coastal Carolina 17
	Team Schedule Strength	
121	ULM	Coastal Carolina 127

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Coastal Carolina By 34.5
Las Vegas Total	57 Points
+/- Ratings	Coastal Carolina By 33.3
Game Grade	Coastal Carolina By 34.9
Computer Yards	Coastal Carolina 544-177
Computer Points	Coastal Carolina 42-10
Phil Steele	Coastal Carolina by 38

Phil's Forecast:

ULM is the only current SBC team CCU has not picked up a win against (0-3). In their last meeting in 2019 CCU (+6) was outgained 452-563 (-1 TO) and fell to ULM 45-42 (fmbl'd on final drive). Last time here in '18 ULM jumped out to a 14-0 lead before CCar cut it to 24-20 mid 3Q, but ULM would score 3 straight TD's & won 45-20 (+6'). ULM is allowing 15% sacks and is putting up just 209 ypg! Coastal Carolina is putting up 518 ypg and 46 ppg. Last week ULM was +24 but led 10-3 H with 171-136 yd edge. ULM open 3Q 75/8 TD. 60/8 FG with Troy TD in between 20-10 ULM Troy punt twice then safety. Down 22-10 Troy at 6, 96 yard IR TD Williams 29-10! Troy 80/11 TD :35 29-16. Last week CCarolina scored on 8 of 9 poss (ended gm at UM 1) and led 36-0 and 50-3 after 3Q with UMass avoiding the shutout on a 35 yd FG with 8:23 left. ULM is allowing foes 100 ypg above their season avg. ULM QB Rodriguez was in the hospital this week and is doubtful. This one will be ugly and Coastal notches that first win vs ULM. CCarolina does have a Thursday game on deck.

Coastal Carolina 48 ULM 10

E Michigan Eagles

Eagles Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		117				9/4	St Francis Pa	35-15	W	107	118	29			
1-0	0-1	0-0	0-1	120	139		18	9/11	at Wisconsin	7-34	L	105	114	89	29	20	106
1-1	0-2	0-0	0-0	119	95			9/18	at UMass	42-28	W	113	116	101	127	130	128
2-1	1-2	0-0	0-0	118	108			9/25	Texas St	59-21	W	112	116	100	114	108	62
3-1	2-2	0-0	0-0	122	114			10/2	at Northern Illinois			97	110	103	81	122	109
	1-3		0-0		116			10/9	Miami, OH						110	116	66
	1-3		0-1		116			10/16	Ball St						122	109	45
	2-2		0-0		97			10/23	at Bowling Green						127	85	24
	2-2		1-0		121			11/2	at Toledo						95	52	51
	0-4		0-0		107			11/9	Ohio						106	125	84
	3-1		0-0		123			11/16	Western Michigan						86	80	122
								11/20	Bye								
	2-2		0-0		115			11/27	at Central Michigan						54	105	71

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
St Francis Pa	35-15	120	15	0	27	58-221	3.8	15-22	189	2	12	34-105	3.1	14-30	185	4
at Wisconsin	7-34	-426	-23	0	3	18-16	0.9	10-20	76	2	26	55-352	6.4	16-20	166	1
at UMass	42-28	-12	-4	1	26	42-184	4.4	16-24	323	1	30	34-206	6.1	23-39	313	1
Texas St	59-21	200	15	1	33	44-242	5.5	22-35	257	2	18	37-112	3.0	16-25	187	4
at Northern Illinois																
Miami, OH																
Ball St																
at Bowling Green																
at Toledo																
Ohio																
Western Michigan																
Bye																
at Central Michigan																
Average	36-25	-29.5	0.8	0.5	22	41-166	4.1	62.4%	211	6.9%	22	40-194	4.8	60.5%	213	8.8%
Conference	0-0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Away	25-31	-219.0	-13.5	0.5	15	30-100	3.3	59.1%	200	6.8%	28	45-279	6.3	66.1%	240	3.4%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Eastern Michigan	-	-6.5	41	25	38-131	21-29-242	
Northern Illinois	-	55	33	25	38-199	22-37-221	0
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Eastern Michigan	-	55.5	45	24	30-193	20-24-235	
Northern Illinois	-	-5	17	21	48-238	12-26-99	-3
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Eastern Michigan	-	-3.5	23	16	33-62	17-41-180	
Northern Illinois	-	48.5	26	24	62-235	20-35-121	-2
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Eastern Michigan	-	46.5	27	15	33-96	23-45-307	
Northern Illinois	-	-7	30	18	36-114	23-40-278	-1
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Eastern Michigan	-	61.5	24	32	56-291	17-38-184	
Northern Illinois	-	-1	31	20	52-324	11-25-161	1

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Projected Box Score

E Michigan		N Illinois
	Projected Rushing	
172 yards	E Michigan	271 yards
	Projected Passing	
207 yards	E Michigan	198 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
379 yards	E Michigan	469 yards
	Projected Final Score	
40 points	E Michigan	33 points
	Experience Rankings	
5	E Michigan	104
	Team Schedule Strength	
124	E Michigan	67

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
3-1	2-2
vs. MAC	vs. MAC
0-0	0-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

E Michigan		N Illinois
#59	Rush Off	#21
#84	Pass Off	#110
#82	**Total Off**	**#72**
#35	Score Off	#67
#51	Sks Allowed	#6
#109	Rush Def	#124
#59	Pass Def	#39
#86	**Total Def**	**#104**
#75	Score Def	#121
#45	Sks By	#104
#99	Ypg Diff	#102
+2	**Total TO's**	**-4**

E Michigan Eagles | **LEADERS & TEAM AVERAGES** | **N Illinois Huskies**

Position by Position Edges

E Michigan		N Illinois
0.52	E Michigan QB/WR vs. N Illinois DB's	
0.19	E Michigan RB's vs. N Illinois LB's	
1.26	E Michigan OL vs. N Illinois DL	
	E Michigan DL vs. N Illinois OL	1.38
	E Michigan LB'S vs. N Illinois RB's	1.06
0.40	E Michigan DB's vs. N Illinois QB/WR	
0.44	E Michigan ST's vs. N Illinois ST's	
1.45	E Michigan K vs. N Illinois K	
1.30	E Michigan Coaches vs. N Illinois Coaches	
5.55	E Michigan Pts vs. N Illinois Pts	2.44

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

E Michigan

By 3.11 Points

N Illinois Huskies

Huskies Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	112	124			9/4	at Georgia Tech	22-21	W	114	119	88	62	43	96
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	116	121			9/11	Wyoming	43-50	L	118	120	110	95	59	38
1-1	2-0	0-0	0-0	115	136		25	9/18	at Michigan	10-63	L	117	122	104	26	30	5
1-2		0-0		111				9/25	Maine	41-14	W	108	125	107			
2-2	3-1	0-0	0-0	114	122			10/2	Eastern Michigan			81	122	109	97	110	103
	2-2		1-0		121			10/9	at Toledo						95	52	51
	2-2		0-0		97			10/16	Bowling Green						127	85	24
	2-2		0-0		115			10/23	at Central Michigan						54	105	71
								10/30	Bye								
	1-3		0-0		121			11/3	at Kent St						66	107	120
	1-3		0-1		116			11/10	Ball St						122	109	45
	2-2		0-0		115			11/17	at Buffalo						94	108	100
	3-1		0-0		123			11/23	Western Michigan						86	80	122

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Georgia Tech	22-21	-128	-10	0	15	42-165	3.9	11-17	136	0	25	52-273	5.3	15-26	156	4
Wyoming	43-50	82	-2	-2	22	38-244	6.4	19-36	233	2	24	45-191	4.2	13-23	204	1
at Michigan	10-63	-398	-17	-1	11	36-162	4.5	9-17	46	0	28	48-373	7.8	12-17	233	0
Maine	41-14	284	16	-1	29	45-292	6.5	17-24	282	0	13	30-125	4.2	14-26	165	0
Eastern Michigan																
at Toledo																
Bowling Green																
at Central Michigan																
Bye																
at Kent St																
Ball St																
at Buffalo																
Western Michigan																
Average	29-37	-40.0	-3.3	-1.0	19	40-216	5.4	59.6%	174	2.1%	23	44-241	5.5	58.7%	190	5.4%
Conference	0-0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Home	42-32	183.0	7.0	-1.5	26	42-268	6.5	60.0%	258	3.3%	19	38-158	4.2	55.1%	185	2.0%

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	N Illinois By 2.5
Las Vegas Total	60.5 Points
+/- Ratings	E Michigan By 4.5
Game Grade	N Illinois By 6.6
Computer Yards	N Illinois 469-379
Computer Points	E Michigan 40-33
Phil Steele	E Michigan by 7

Phil's Forecast:

EMich is just 4-19 SU vs NIU but will be trying for their first 3 game win streak over NIU since 1956-'58. Last time here EM (+5) ended a 11-game losing streak to NIU. EM never trailed leading 14-0 & 38-10 late 4Q and won 45-17 (+5). Huskies are 17-3 SU vs the Eagles since 2001 but just 10-10 ATS. Home team is just 6-14 ATS. Last year EMich had an 18-5 FD edge in 1H and after being tied 10-10 led 20-10 at half (EM 267-103 yd) then got a 61 yd FR TD to lead 27-10 1:47 into 3Q. NILL trailed 41-24 but got a safety and TD with 2:17 left to get within 1 score 41-33 (+6'). NIU last drive got to own 31. NIU has taken on the tougher schedule (#67 vs #124). Last week EM threw for 257 and ran for 247 and had a 499-299 yard-edge vs Texas St. EM led 28-7 but TSt got 29 yd TD pass 1:24 H then 77/6 for TD early 3Q 28-21. EM scored 4 TD and FG on last 5 poss in 59-21 win. Last week NIU and Maine each opened with 2 long TD drives and 2 punts and NIU went 79/8 for TD 4:31 then 54/8 but was int at 33, 21-14 H. It was just 24-14 4Q NIU 72/9 FG, 64 yd TD run Lombardi (3 rush, 1 pass TD) and after a fmbl punt 18/1 TD 5:47 left, 41-14 (574-290). NILL QB Rocky Lombardi is hitting 59% with a 5-5 ratio while Ben Bryant and Preston Hutchinson have combined for 62% with a 4-2 ratio. EM is 19-4 ATS as an AD with one non cover by a half pt vs Wisconsin this year when they dropped a TD pass on the last play and my computer has them winning 40-33 but the yards do say NIU 468-381.

Eastern Michigan 40 Northern Illinois 33

Nevada Wolf Pack

Wolf Pack Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	126	129			9/4	at California	22-17	W	25	62	14	81	56	107
1-0		0-0		129				9/11	Idaho St	49-10	W	36	72	26			
2-0	1-1	0-0	0-0	128	129			9/18	at Kansas St	17-38	L	28	62	55	61	83	35
2-1		0-0		125				9/25	Bye			55	84	48			
2-1	2-2	0-0	1-0	125	131			10/2	at Boise St			67	90	50	91	61	4
	1-4		0-0		95			10/9	New Mexico St						126	126	52
	2-3		0-1		114		#REF!	10/16	Hawaii						76	69	70
	4-1		1-0		127			10/23	at Fresno St						22	64	95
	0-4		0-1		108			10/30	UNLV						124	124	104
	2-2		1-0		117			11/6	San Jose St						115	46	79
	4-0		0-0		126			11/13	at San Diego St						73	24	16
	3-1		0-1		124			11/20	Air Force						56	82	128
	1-3		0-0		122			11/27	at Colorado St						111	115	89

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at California	22-17	43	2	0	19	26-61	2.3	22-39	312	2	17	27-153	5.7	25-38	177	2
Idaho St	49-10	303	8	2	26	19-145	7.6	37-46	441	0	18	42-141	3.4	15-26	142	8
at Kansas St	17-38	-67	-8	-1	14	23-25	1.1	28-41	306	3	22	8-269	33.6	9-13	129	0
Bye																
at Boise St																
New Mexico St																
Hawaii																
at Fresno St																
UNLV																
San Jose St																
at San Diego St																
Air Force																
at Colorado St																
Average	29-22	93.0	0.7	0.3	20	23-77	3.4	69.0%	353	4.0%	19	26-188	7.3	63.6%	149	13.0%
Conference	0-0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Away	20-28	-12.0	-3.0	-0.5	17	25-43	1.8	62.5%	309	6.3%	20	18-211	12.1	66.7%	153	3.9%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
2-1	2-2
vs. MTW	vs. MTW
0-0	1-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Nevada		Boise St
#125	Rush Off	#119
#9	Pass Off	#30
#46	**Total Off**	**#84**
#66	Score Off	#47
#23	Sks Allowed	#51
#105	Rush Def	#116
#14	Pass Def	#54
#53	**Total Def**	**#98**
#58	Score Def	#33
#45	Sks By	#58
#44	Ypg Diff	#103
+1	**Total TO's**	**+7**

Nevada Wolf Pack | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Boise St Broncos**

Position by Position Edges

Nevada		Boise St
0.02	Nevada QB/WR vs. Boise St DB's	
	Nevada RB's vs. Boise St LB's	2.01
	Nevada OL vs. Boise St DL	0.60
0.38	Nevada DL vs. Boise St OL	
1.34	Nevada LB'S vs. Boise St RB's	
	Nevada DB's vs. Boise St QB/WR	0.09
	Nevada ST's vs. Boise St ST's	1.06
	Nevada K vs. Boise St K	0.80
2.10	Nevada Coaches vs. Boise St Coaches	
3.85	Nevada Pts vs. Boise St Pts	4.55

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Boise St

By 0.71 Points

Boise St Broncos

Broncos Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	126	130			9/4	at UCF	31-36	L	44	52	10	10	69	76
0-1	2-0	0-0	0-0	126	104			9/11	UTEP	54-13	W	51	56	5	81	105	94
1-1	2-0	0-0	0-0	129	128			9/18	Oklahoma St	20-21	L	62	66	3	67	48	31
1-2	3-0	0-0	1-0	127	120			9/25	at Utah St	27-3	W	94	76	2	41	103	31
2-2	2-1	1-0	0-0	131	125			10/2	Nevada			91	61	4	67	90	50
	4-0		0-0		130			10/9	at BYU						63	101	31
	3-1		0-1		124			10/16	Air Force						56	82	128
								10/23	Bye								
	1-3		0-0		122			10/30	at Colorado St						111	115	89
	4-1		0-0		120			11/6	at Fresno St						22	64	95
	2-2		0-0		107			11/13	Wyoming						93	62	73
	4-0		0-0		126			11/20	New Mexico						107	57	86
								11/27	at San Diego St						73	24	16

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at UCF	31-36	-290	-12	1	17	26-20	0.8	25-39	263	0	29	48-255	5.3	25-37	318	3
UTEP	54-13	125	1	5	21	37-121	3.3	17-25	340	1	20	40-104	2.6	16-26	232	1
Oklahoma St	20-21	-25	4	-1	19	35-61	1.7	22-35	242	4	15	57-246	4.3	6-13	82	2
at Utah St	27-3	-8	7	2	25	42-148	3.5	22-39	287	2	18	42-235	5.6	13-31	208	3
Nevada																
at BYU																
Air Force																
Bye																
at Colorado St																
at Fresno St																
Wyoming																
New Mexico																
at San Diego St																
Average	33-18	-49.5	0.0	1.8	21	35-88	2.5	62.3%	283	5.1%	21	47-210	4.5	56.1%	210	8.4%
Conference	27-3	-8.0	7.0	2.0	25	42-148	3.5	56.4%	287	5.1%	18	42-235	5.6	41.9%	208	9.7%
Home	37-17	50.0	2.5	2.0	20	36-91	2.5	65.0%	291	8.3%	18	49-175	3.6	56.4%	157	7.7%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2018	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Nevada	-	61	27	23	24-82	24-42-304	
Boise St	-	-16.5	31	24	40-207	28-38-299	-1
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Nevada	-	59.5	14	17	29-142	24-37-160	
Boise St	-	-20.5	41	24	35-140	25-34-339	3

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Projected Box Score

Nevada		Boise St
	Projected Rushing	
89 yards	Nevada	137 yards
	Projected Passing	
281 yards	Nevada	233 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
370 yards	Nevada	370 yards
	Projected Final Score	
23 points	Nevada	31 points
	Experience Rankings	
7	Nevada	28
	Team Schedule Strength	
73	Nevada	22

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Boise St By 6.5
Las Vegas Total	58.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Boise St By 10.5
Game Grade	Boise St By 0.7
Computer Yards	Boise St 370-370
Computer Points	Boise St 31-23
Phil Steele	Boise St by 3

Phil's Forecast:

Boise holds a 30-13 series lead vs Nevada. Since '99 the Broncos have won 16 of the 17 meetings, but have covered just 3 of the last 10. Boise is 9-1 since '11 in MW home openers (lost to SDSt in '18). Last time here ('17) Nevada (+20') led 14-10 2Q but would allow 31 straight pts and fell 41-14 (-177 yds, -3 TO's). Jay Norvell is 5-2 SU off a bye. Boise opened 1-2 with close losses to UCF and Oklahoma St and last week went into 3-0 Utah St and in a game played at 10 am Utah St had a 317-265 yd edge at H but trailed 10-0 as they were int at 43, SOD 35, miss 41 yd FG, int at 1. Boise got 18/3 TD after fumble by P and up 17-3 Boise got a FG and went 15/9 for TD after a fumble, 27-3. Nevada upset Cal on the road in the opener but lost at Kansas St then had a bye at 2-1. Boise has taken on the tougher schedule (#22 vs #73). My computer has Boise by 8 but Nevada with a 375-370 yd edge. Boise is actually -50 ypg this year and Nevada is +93 ypg and Nevada is very familiar with this venue having played the bowl game here on the blue turf each of the last two years.

Boise St 27 Nevada 24

Air Force Falcons

Falcons Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	TEAM ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE
0-0		0-0		125				9/4	Lafayette	35-14	W	82	97	124				
1-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	121	116			9/11	at Navy	23-3	W	74	103	101	117	88	130	
2-0	2-0	0-0	0-0	124	117			9/18	Utah St	45-49	L	91	99	126	73	87	47	
2-1	2-1	0-1	0-0	121	120			9/25	Florida Atlantic	31-7	W	85	91	129	74	65	37	
3-1	2-2	0-1	0-0	124	107			10/2	at New Mexico			56	82	128	107	57	86	
	4-0		0-0		120			10/9	Wyoming						93	62	73	
	2-2		1-0		131			10/16	at Boise St						91	61	4	
	4-0		0-0		126			10/23	San Diego St						73	24	16	
								10/30	Bye									
	4-0		1-0		123			11/6	† Army West Point						40	53	29	
	1-3		0-0		122			11/13	at Colorado St						111	115	89	
	2-1		0-0		125			11/20	at Nevada						67	90	50	
	0-4		0-1		108			11/27	UNLV						124	124	104	

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Lafayette	35-14	133	12	1	24	67-370	5.5	3-5	50	1	12	24-43	1.8	17-28	244	3
at Navy	23-3	157	8	1	14	59-176	3.0	3-10	49	1	6	34-36	1.1	3-10	32	5
Utah St	45-49	-9	-3	-1	23	63-437	6.9	6-12	182	1	26	39-180	4.6	31-50	448	2
Florida Atlantic	31-7	297	14	1	24	73-446	6.1	2-5	70	0	10	20-141	7.1	11-33	78	1
at New Mexico																
Wyoming																
at Boise St																
San Diego St																
Bye																
† Army West Point																
at Colorado St																
at Nevada																
UNLV																
Average	34-18	144.5	7.8	0.5	21	66-357	5.5	43.8%	88	9.4%	14	29-100	3.4	51.2%	201	9.1%
Conference	45-49	-9.0	-3.0	-1.0	23	63-437	6.9	50.0%	182	8.3%	26	39-180	4.6	62.0%	448	4.0%
Away	23-3	157.0	8.0	1.0	14	59-176	3.0	30.0%	49	10.0%	6	34-36	1.1	30.0%	32	50.0%

OVERALL: 3-1 vs. MTW 0-1

OVERALL: 2-2 vs. MTW 0-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Air Force		New Mexico
#1	Rush Off	#96
#126	Pass Off	#100
#36	**Total Off**	**#115**
#46	Score Off	#114
#8	Sks Allowed	#81
#26	Rush Def	#12
#45	Pass Def	#96
#28	**Total Def**	**#46**
#33	Score Def	#70
#34	Sks By	#45
#23	Ypg Diff	#92
+2	**Total TO's**	**+3**

Air Force Falcons | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **New Mexico Lobos**

Position by Position Edges

Air Force		New Mexico
	Air Force QB/WR vs. New Mexico DB's	1.50
0.72	Air Force RB's vs. New Mexico LB's	
0.45	Air Force OL vs. New Mexico DL	
0.79	Air Force DL vs. New Mexico OL	
1.77	Air Force LB'S vs. New Mexico RB's	
0.06	Air Force DB's vs. New Mexico QB/WR	
	Air Force ST's vs. New Mexico ST's	1.27
3.00	Air Force K vs. New Mexico K	
2.05	Air Force Coaches vs. New Mexico Coaches	
8.83	Air Force Pts vs. New Mexico Pts	2.77

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Air Force

By 6.06 Points

New Mexico Lobos

Lobos Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	TEAM ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE
0-0		0-0		116				9/4	Houston Baptist	27-17	W	95	120	122				
1-0	0-2	0-0	0-0	112	93			9/11	New Mexico St	34-25	W	97	121	100	126	129	68	
2-0	2-0	0-0	0-0	110	140		7	9/18	at Texas A&M	0-34	L	76	109	96	21	5	42	
2-1	2-1	0-0	0-0	110	101			9/25	at UTEP	13-20	L	99	67	101	75	72	88	
2-2	3-1	0-0	0-1	107	124			10/2	Air Force			107	57	86	56	82	128	
	4-0		0-0		126			10/9	at San Diego St						73	24	16	
	1-3		0-0		122			10/16	Colorado St						111	115	89	
	4-0		0-0		120			10/23	at Wyoming						93	62	73	
								10/30	Bye									
	0-4		0-1		108			11/6	UNLV						124	124	104	
	4-1		1-0		127			11/13	at Fresno St						22	64	95	
	2-2		1-0		131			11/20	at Boise St						91	61	4	
	3-1		1-1		116			11/27	Utah St						38	103	34	

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Houston Baptist	27-17	121	1	2	16	40-129	3.2	21-27	179	2	15	23--9	-0.4	27-47	196	5
New Mexico St	34-25	214	10	2	29	46-178	3.9	26-38	381	2	19	23-109	4.7	18-45	236	0
at Texas A&M	0-34	-307	-13	0	9	36-89	2.5	10-23	33	4	22	34-154	4.5	19-33	275	3
at UTEP	13-20	-56	5	-1	17	35-123	3.5	17-39	165	1	12	33-51	1.5	15-29	293	2
Air Force																
at San Diego St																
Colorado St																
at Wyoming																
Bye																
UNLV																
at Fresno St																
at Boise St																
Utah St																
Average	19-24	-7.0	0.8	0.8	18	39-130	3.3	58.3%	190	7.1%	17	28-76	2.7	51.3%	250	6.5%
Conference	0-0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Home	31-21	167.5	5.5	2.0	23	43-154	3.6	72.3%	280	6.2%	17	23-50	2.2	48.9%	216	5.4%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Air Force	-	-9.5	28	23	63-356	4-5-66	
New Mexico	-	55.5	0	19	25-83	23-42-221	1
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Air Force	-	-23.5	44	20	45-213	9-10-327	
New Mexico	-	55	22	19	43-268	8-19-90	0
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Air Force	-	-13.5	42	27	67-478	5-6-145	
New Mexico	-	56	24	14	36-119	13-18-186	1
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Air Force	-	-2.5	38	26	63-238	9-18-158	
New Mexico	-	50.5	56	16	41-363	4-9-146	2
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Air Force	-	-14	40	24	49-251	12-24-280	
New Mexico	-	55.5	45	18	55-373	3-8-70	0

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Projected Box Score

Air Force		New Mexico
	Projected Rushing	
291 yards	Air Force	New Mexico	114 yards
	Projected Passing	
74 yards	Air Force	New Mexico	203 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
365 yards	Air Force	New Mexico	316 yards
	Projected Final Score	
31 points	Air Force	New Mexico	18 points
	Experience Rankings	
105	Air Force	New Mexico	53
	Team Schedule Strength	
116	Air Force	New Mexico	108

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Air Force By 10.5
Las Vegas Total	45.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Air Force By 14.3
Game Grade	Air Force By 12.4
Computer Yards	Air Force 365-316
Computer Points	Air Force 31-18
Phil Steele	Air Force by 10

Phil's Forecast:

All-time AF is 24-14 in the series. AF is on a 3-game win streak vs NMexico & have won each game by over 2 TD's (23 ppg) but AF is on a 2-8 ATS slide vs NMex. Last year AF shut out NMex 28-0 (-9') & it was their first MW shut out in 9 years. New Mexico went 4-1 SU/5-0 ATS against Air Force from '13-'17'. Lobos are on a 1-6 ATS slide in true MW home openers. New Mexico was 0-3 ATS their first 3 despite Kentucky transfer QB Terry Wilson having a solid season hitting 58% with a 6-2 ratio. Last week New Mexico dominated the 1H with a 14-3 FD edge and was SOD at the 13 but still led 13-3. UTEP had 188-117 yd edge 2H. UTEP open 3Q 84/7 TD then 55 yd TD pass 2nd poss and after int missed FG on 3rd poss. Each team 3 punts then UTEP 49/5 44 yd FG 20-13 and NM 42/12 4&9 33 SOD. :20. AF opened impressively and led Utah St 45-34 but lost 49-45. Last week AF had 17-4 FD 360-118 yd edge at half and led FAU 24-7. AF got 94 yd TD run by Daniels and scored on 4 of 5 1H poss but settle for 31 & 22 yd FG and missed one. AF took 2nd 3Q poss 97/12 TD 3:30 and won 31-7 at home. Rocky Long knows how to defend the option and this year the Lobos D is allowing just 76 ypg rush (2.7). AF's defense has allowed 574 total yds (191 ypg) in 3 games but 628 yds to Utah St. New Mexico has just 205 ypg the last 2 games and 6.5 ppg.

Air Force 30 New Mexico 20

USC Trojans

Trojans Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	134	124	15		9/4	San Jose St	30-7	W	12	19	12	88	57	90
1-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	135	126	14		9/11	Stanford	28-42	L	11	18	39	54	67	117
1-1	1-1	0-1	0-0	130	125			9/18	at Washington St	45-14	W	14	19	45	58	91	30
2-1	2-1	1-1	0-0	134	128			9/25	Oregon St	27-45	L	29	19	39	46	53	64
2-2	1-3	1-2	0-1	129	117			10/2	at Colorado			37	41	33	117	60	101
	2-2		1-0		131			10/9	Utah						51	22	110
								10/16	Bye								
	4-0		0-0		140			10/23	at Notre Dame						68	5	23
	0-4		0-1		111			10/30	Arizona						100	93	125
	3-1		1-0		132			11/6	at Arizona St						23	27	12
	1-3		0-1		128			11/13	at California						28	54	119
	3-1		1-0		137			11/20	UCLA						30	13	36
	4-0		0-0		130			11/27	BYU						63	101	31

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
San Jose St	30-7	40	5	1	23	34-160	4.7	24-36	256	2	18	19-68	3.6	24-46	308	0
Stanford	28-42	33	6	-1	24	33-185	5.6	27-42	223	0	18	30-141	4.7	16-23	234	0
at Washington St	45-14	168	9	1	24	25-48	1.9	31-48	399	1	15	30-99	3.3	20-34	180	3
Oregon St	27-45	-104	1	-2	32	22-76	3.5	31-49	355	2	31	51-322	6.3	15-19	213	0
at Colorado																
Utah																
Bye																
at Notre Dame																
Arizona																
at Arizona St																
at California																
UCLA																
BYU																
Average	33-27	34.3	5.3	-0.3	26	29-117	4.1	64.6%	308	2.9%	21	33-158	4.8	61.5%	234	2.5%
Conference	33-34	32.3	5.3	-0.7	27	27-103	3.9	64.0%	326	2.2%	21	37-187	5.1	67.1%	209	3.9%
Away	45-14	168.0	9.0	1.0	24	25-48	1.9	64.6%	399	2.1%	15	30-99	3.3	58.8%	180	8.8%

	OVERALL:	OVERALL:
	2-2	1-3
	vs. PAC 12	vs. PAC 12
	1-2	0-1

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

USC		Colorado
#107	Rush Off	#79
#17	Pass Off	#127
#50	**Total Off**	**#127**
#50	Score Off	#126
#23	Sks Allowed	#92
#82	Rush Def	#70
#77	Pass Def	#62
#78	**Total Def**	**#64**
#84	Score Def	#48
#119	Sks By	#104
#69	Ypg Diff	#119
-1	**Total TO's**	**-1**

USC Trojans | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Colorado Buffalos**

Position by Position Edges

USC		Colorado
0.60	USC QB/WR vs. Colorado DB's	
	USC RB's vs. Colorado LB's	1.61
0.25	USC OL vs. Colorado DL	
	USC DL vs. Colorado OL	0.07
1.18	USC LB'S vs. Colorado RB's	
3.00	USC DB's vs. Colorado QB/WR	
	USC ST's vs. Colorado ST's	1.21
1.30	USC K vs. Colorado K	
	USC Coaches vs. Colorado Coaches	1.50
6.33	USC Pts vs. Colorado Pts	4.39

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

USC

By 1.95 Points

Colorado Buffalos

Buffalos Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		122				9/4	Northern Colorado	35-7	W	55	47	95			
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	118	144		5	9/11	† Texas A&M	7-10	L	58	45	66	7	5	33
1-1	1-1	0-0	0-1	122	131			9/18	Minnesota	0-30	L	78	39	92	51	94	72
1-2	2-1	0-0	0-0	118	131			9/25	at Arizona St	13-35	L	113	43	113	24	29	10
1-3	2-2	0-1	1-2	117	129			10/2	USC			117	60	101	37	41	33
								10/9	Bye								
	0-4		0-1		111			10/16	Arizona						100	93	125
	1-3		0-1		128			10/23	at California						28	54	119
	4-0		1-0		137			10/30	at Oregon						26	28	39
	3-1		1-0		133			11/6	Oregon St						25	45	60
	3-1		1-0		137			11/13	at UCLA						30	13	36
	2-2		1-0		130			11/20	Washington						59	15	98
	2-2		1-0		131			11/27	at Utah						51	22	110

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Northern Colorado	35-7	127	6	1	22	49-281	5.7	10-15	102	2	16	18-20	1.1	24-42	236	3
† Texas A&M	7-10	-28	0	0	14	38-171	4.5	13-25	89	1	14	29-97	3.3	19-40	191	1
Minnesota	0-30	-378	-16	-2	6	21--19	-0.9	12-24	82	4	22	53-277	5.2	11-17	164	1
at Arizona St	13-35	-189	-7	0	18	44-183	4.2	7-17	67	3	25	32-167	5.2	20-27	272	0
USC																
Bye																
Arizona																
at California																
at Oregon																
Oregon St																
at UCLA																
Washington																
at Utah																
Average	14-21	-117.0	-4.3	-0.3	15	38-154	4.1	51.9%	85	12.3%	19	33-140	4.3	58.7%	216	4.0%
Conference	13-35	-189.0	-7.0	0.0	18	44-183	4.2	41.2%	67	17.6%	25	32-167	5.2	74.1%	272	0.0%
Home	18-19	-125.5	-5.0	-0.5	14	35-131	3.7	56.4%	92	15.4%	19	36-149	4.2	59.3%	200	6.8%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
2019							
USC	-	-12	35	30	26-112	30-44-406	
Colorado	-	64	31	25	34-196	27-43-324	1
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
USC	-	-7	31	16	26-51	18-35-283	
Colorado	19	57	20	17	37-95	26-47-170	2
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
USC	15	-13.5	38	23	38-193	21-34-329	
Colorado	-	63	24	23	34-110	27-49-376	-2
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
USC	-	-5.5	21	28	43-190	25-37-358	
Colorado	21	63.5	17	20	29-96	28-44-275	3

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Projected Box Score

USC		Colorado
	Projected Rushing	
74 yards	USC	171 yards
	Projected Passing	
302 yards	USC	127 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
376 yards	USC	297 yards
	Projected Final Score	
29 points	USC	20 points
	Experience Rankings	
89	USC	94
	Team Schedule Strength	
14	USC	27

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Usc By 7.5
Las Vegas Total	51 Points
+/- Ratings	Usc By 8.3
Game Grade	Usc By 7.9
Computer Yards	Usc 376-297
Computer Points	Usc 29-20
Phil Steele	Usc by 14

Phil's Forecast:

Colorado has never beaten USC, having dropped all 14 previous matchups. Last time here ('19), Colorado nearly ended its losing streak to USC as they led 31-21 in the 4Q, but allowed a TD w/2:15 left in a 35-31 loss. Last year both teams were unbeaten and supposed to meet but the game was cancelled. USC is 12-7 ATS as an AF. Karl Dorrell is 8-1 ATS as a HD. Colorado gave a solid game to Texas A&M only losing by 3 but then had just 63 total yards vs Minnesota at home in a 30-0 loss. Last week at Ariz St, Colorado ended a 120+ minute scoreless streak with a 51 yd FG :13 left in half to pull to 14-3 then open 3Q 75/8 TD 14-10. ASU 3 TD's next 4 poss last with 8:30 left 35-10 and CU 61/9 33 yd FG 3:56 left. USC looked very impressive vs San Jose St in the opener then after a loss to Stanford as a 3 TD favorite fired HC Helton. Under their interim HC they overcame a 14-7 deficit and beat Wash St 45-14 on the road. Last week Oregon St ended a 24 game losing streak in the Coliseum with its first win there since 1960 in interim HC Williams first home game. Oregon ST led 21-17 H. OSU TD's 1st 3 poss 3Q to lead 42-17 and won 45-27 with 535-431 yd edge. The Trojans have been either very good or very bad but since they are alternating weeks doing that they should be "up" this week and are taking on an offense that is generating 191 ypg and 6.6 ppg vs FBS teams.

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Cincinnati Bearcats

Bearcats Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	137	120	8		9/4	Miami, OH	49-14	W	46	5	48	113	103	91
1-0		0-0		139		7		9/11	Murray St	42-7	W	37	6	59			
2-0	1-1	0-0	0-1	139	137	8		9/18	at Indiana	38-24	W	32	6	107	68	11	13
3-0		0-0		142		8		9/25	Bye			45	5	81			
3-0	4-0	0-0	0-0	142	140	7	9	10/2	at Notre Dame			52	7	80	68	5	23
	2-2		0-0		107			10/9	Temple						103	78	115
	2-1		0-0		128			10/16	UCF						7	70	107
	0-3		0-1		114			10/23	at Navy						128	96	127
	1-3		0-0		123			10/30	at Tulane						72	106	40
	1-3		0-0		122			11/6	Tulsa						35	59	124
	1-3		0-0		113			11/13	at USF						112	123	117
	4-0		0-0		127			11/20	SMU						6	92	105
	2-2		0-0		121			11/27	at East Carolina						85	94	42

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Miami, OH	49-14	264	10	-3	27	31-247	8.0	20-26	295	2	17	45-169	3.8	9-28	109	2
Murray St	42-7	149	2	4	17	32-130	4.1	15-25	261	2	15	37-93	2.5	17-29	149	1
at Indiana	38-24	-48	0	2	20	36-118	3.3	20-36	210	1	20	37-152	4.1	17-40	224	1
Bye																
at Notre Dame																
Temple																
UCF																
at Navy																
at Tulane																
Tulsa																
at USF																
SMU																
at East Carolina																
Average	43-15	121.7	4.0	1.0	21	33-165	5.0	63.2%	255	5.7%	17	40-138	3.5	44.3%	161	4.1%
Conference	0-0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Away	38-24	-48.0	0.0	2.0	20	36-118	3.3	55.6%	210	2.8%	20	37-152	4.1	42.5%	224	2.5%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

None

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Projected Box Score

Cincinnati		Notre Dame
	Projected Rushing	
107 yards	Cincinnati Notre Dame	135 yards
	Projected Passing	
187 yards	Cincinnati Notre Dame	247 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
294 yards	Cincinnati Notre Dame	382 yards
	Projected Final Score	
27 points	Cincinnati Notre Dame	30 points
	Experience Rankings	
95	Cincinnati Notre Dame	128
	Team Schedule Strength	
94	Cincinnati Notre Dame	3

OVERALL: 3-0 vs. AAC 0-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Cincinnati		Notre Dame
#62	Rush Off	#122
#49	Pass Off	#29
#55	**Total Off**	**#89**
#9	Score Off	#38
#23	Sks Allowed	#128
#66	Rush Def	#55
#18	Pass Def	#76
#26	**Total Def**	**#68**
#12	Score Def	#66
#113	Sks By	#9
#31	Ypg Diff	#87
+3	**Total TO's**	**+6**

Cincinnati Bearcats | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Notre Dame Fighting Irish**

Position by Position Edges

Cincinnati		Notre Dame
	Cincinnati QB/WR vs. Notre Dame DB's	1.63
	Cincinnati RB's vs. Notre Dame LB's	1.81
	Cincinnati OL vs. Notre Dame DL	1.18
1.15	Cincinnati DL vs. Notre Dame OL	
1.88	Cincinnati LB'S vs. Notre Dame RB's	
2.27	Cincinnati DB's vs. Notre Dame QB/WR	
0.74	Cincinnati ST's vs. Notre Dame ST's	
	Cincinnati K vs. Notre Dame K	0.55
0.10	Cincinnati Coaches vs. Notre Dame Coaches	
6.13	Cincinnati Pts vs. Notre Dame Pts	5.17

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Cincinnati

By 0.96 Points

Notre Dame Fighting Irish

Fighting Irish Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	137	127	9		9/4	at Florida St	41-38	W	20	7	13	26	37	72
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	137	119	8		9/11	Toledo	32-29	W	14	8	18	71	55	28
2-0	2-0	0-0	0-0	134	130	12		9/18	Purdue	27-13	W	19	10	44	42	53	58
3-0	1-1	0-0	0-1	135	140	12	18	9/25	† Wisconsin	41-13	W	34	12	29	22	8	79
4-0	3-0	0-0	0-0	140	142	9	7	10/2	Cincinnati			68	5	23	52	7	80
	3-1		1-0		127			10/9	at Virginia Tech						99	21	32
								10/16	Bye								
	2-2		1-2		129			10/23	USC						37	41	33
	2-2		1-2		134			10/30	North Carolina						17	63	99
	0-3		0-1		114			11/6	Navy						128	96	127
	2-2		0-2		128			11/13	at Virginia						49	100	96
	2-2		1-1		128			11/20	Georgia Tech						58	66	112
	2-2		1-1		129			11/27	at Stanford						45	55	90

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Florida St	41-38	-11	-2	2	17	35-65	1.9	26-35	366	4	19	48-264	5.5	14-26	178	5
Toledo	32-29	96	11	-2	27	39-132	3.4	24-36	317	6	16	31-132	4.3	19-32	221	5
Purdue	27-13	-5	-3	2	16	34-120	3.5	15-32	223	4	19	25-57	2.3	38-54	291	3
† Wisconsin	41-13	-72	1	4	17	32-3	0.1	21-37	239	6	16	28-74	2.6	18-41	240	1
Cincinnati																
at Virginia Tech																
Bye																
USC																
North Carolina																
Navy																
at Virginia																
Georgia Tech																
at Stanford																
Average	35-23	2.0	1.8	1.5	19	35-80	2.3	61.4%	286	14.3%	18	33-132	4.0	58.2%	233	9.2%
Conference	36-21	-29.3	-1.3	2.7	17	34-63	1.9	59.6%	276	13.5%	18	34-132	3.9	57.9%	236	7.4%
Home	30-21	45.5	4.0	0.0	22	37-126	3.5	57.4%	270	14.7%	18	28-95	3.4	66.3%	256	9.3%

OVERALL: 4-0 vs. IND 0-0

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Cincinnati By 2
Las Vegas Total	50.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Notre Dame By 2.8
Game Grade	Notre Dame By 5.2
Computer Yards	Notre Dame 382-294
Computer Points	Notre Dame 30-27
Phil Steele	Notre Dame by 3

Phil's Forecast:

ND new DC Marcus Freeman knows the Bearcats personnel very well as he was DC at Cincy the last 4 years. Only the second meeting all-time and first since 1900! The Bearcats are 8-4 ATS under HC Fickell as a road dog. Notre Dame won the only prior meeting with Cincinnati 58-0 in 1900. The Irish are 23-6 vs current AAC teams other than rival Navy but that includes just 4-3 SU & 2-5 ATS since 2009. Cincy is fresh off a bye and catch ND on a 5th straight game having just faced a physical Wisconsin team so the Bearcats are in a great situation. Cincy did trail Indiana 14-0 with just 1 FD until their LB McFadden got a targeting call on 3rd and long which kept a drive alive and Cincy despite being outgained 376-328 won 38-24. ND was a DD favorite in the first 3 games and 3-0 but 0-3 ATS. Last week they were a dog to Wisconsin, and I used them as a Best Bet and ND dominated the 1H with 12-3 FD edge and 150-88 yd edge but only led 10-3. UW got a 3Q TD and QB Coan for ND was injured and backup Pyne lost a fumble. UW settled for a FG and a 13-10 lead in 4Q but ND got a Tyree KR TD. ND recovered a fumble to set up a TD and added two IR TD's in the final 2:13 for a misleading 41-14 ND win in Chicago as UW 318-242 yd edge. This should be a low scoring game and I was surprised to see Wisconsin a 6' pt favorite last week and I am surprised the Irish are a home dog here. ND has faced the #3 toughest schedule and Cincy just #934and ND has the special teams edge as well (#23 vs #80)

Notre Dame 24 Cincinnati 21

New Mexico St Aggies

Aggies Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	94	105			8/28	UTEP	3-30	L	115	130	56	97	115	41
0-1	0-0	0-0	0-0	91	121			9/4	at San Diego St	10-28	L	123	129	91	85	41	17
0-2	1-0	0-0	0-0	93	112			9/11	at New Mexico	25-34	L	126	129	68	97	121	100
0-3		0-0		95				9/18	South Carolina St	43-35	W	125	127	40			
1-3	1-3	0-0	0-1	95	114			9/25	Hawaii	21-41	L	126	126	52	76	69	70
1-4	2-2	0-0	1-0	95	117			10/2	at San Jose St			0	0	0	115	46	79
	2-1		0-0		125			10/9	at Nevada						67	90	50
								10/16	Bye								
	1-3		0-1		114			10/23	at Hawaii						76	69	70
								10/30	Bye								
	3-1		1-1		116			11/6	Utah St						38	103	34
	4-0		1-0		154			11/13	at Alabama						9	11	1
	4-0		2-0		125			11/20	at Kentucky						31	29	77
	0-4		0-0		93			11/27	UMass						120	130	126

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
UTEP	3-30	-262	1	1	20	34-101	3.0	9-33	89	3	19	42-203	4.8	11-20	249	0
at San Diego St	10-28	11	4	0	21	26-48	1.8	34-56	326	5	17	42-248	5.9	7-20	115	2
at New Mexico	25-34	-214	-10	-2	19	23-109	4.7	18-45	236	0	29	46-178	3.9	26-36	381	2
South Carolina St	43-35	-1	0	3	24	34-106	3.1	24-33	321	1	24	27-76	2.8	30-47	352	2
Hawaii	21-41	-91	1	-1	22	41-121	3.0	28-47	280	4	21	33-215	6.5	16-25	277	3
at San Jose St																
at Nevada																
Bye																
at Hawaii																
Bye																
Utah St																
at Alabama																
at Kentucky																
UMass																
Average	20-34	-111.4	-0.8	0.2	21	32-97	3.1	52.8%	250	6.1%	22	38-184	4.8	60.8%	275	6.1%
Conference	0-0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Away	18-31	-101.5	-3.0	-1.0	20	25-79	3.2	51.5%	281	5.0%	23	44-213	4.8	58.9%	248	7.1%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
1-4	2-2
vs. IND	vs. MTW
0-0	1-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

New Mexico St		San Jose St
#115	Rush Off	#123
#53	Pass Off	#52
#100	**Total Off**	**#110**
#106	Score Off	#115
#113	Sks Allowed	#92
#101	Rush Def	#61
#112	Pass Def	#53
#117	**Total Def**	**#58**
#114	Score Def	#45
#58	Sks By	#58
#116	Ypg Diff	#94
+1	**Total TO's**	**-7**

New Mexico St Aggies | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **San Jose St Spartans**

Position by Position Edges

New Mexico St		San Jose St
	New Mexico St QB/WR vs. San Jose St DB's	2.36
	New Mexico St RB's vs. San Jose St LB's	2.12
	New Mexico St OL vs. San Jose St DL	0.81
	New Mexico St DL vs. San Jose St OL	0.07
0.50	New Mexico St LB'S vs. San Jose St RB's	
	New Mexico St DB's vs. San Jose St QB/WR	1.09
	New Mexico St ST's vs. San Jose St ST's	1.37
0.50	New Mexico St K vs. San Jose St K	
	New Mexico St Coaches vs. San Jose St Coaches	0.65
1.00	New Mexico St Pts vs. San Jose St Pts	8.47

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

San Jose St

By 7.47 Points

San Jose St Spartans

Spartans Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		124				8/28	Southern Utah	45-14	W	92	58	64			
1-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	124	134		15	9/4	at USC	7-30	L	88	57	90	12	19	12
1-1		0-0		122				9/11	Bye			89	59	95			
1-1	1-2	0-0	0-0	122	114			9/18	at Hawaii	17-13	W	97	54	90	87	73	67
2-1	2-1	1-0	0-0	122	118			9/25	at Western Michigan	3-23	L	115	46	79	84	111	122
2-2	1-4	1-0	0-0	117	95			10/2	New Mexico St			0	0	0	126	126	52
	1-3		0-0		122			10/9	at Colorado St						111	115	89
	4-0		0-0		126			10/16	San Diego St						73	24	16
	0-4		0-1		108			10/23	at UNLV						124	124	104
	4-0		0-0		120			10/30	Wyoming						93	62	73
	2-1		0-0		125			11/6	at Nevada						67	90	50
	3-1		1-1		116			11/13	Utah St						38	103	34
								11/20	Bye								
	4-1		1-0		127			11/27	Fresno St						22	64	95

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Southern Utah	45-14	293	4	-2	21	23-133	5.8	18-30	410	0	17	31-111	3.6	17-31	139	1
at USC	7-30	-40	-5	-1	18	19-68	3.6	24-46	308	0	23	34-160	4.7	24-36	256	2
Bye																
at Hawaii	17-13	-78	-1	-1	15	26-56	2.2	23-51	235	2	16	37-127	3.4	18-39	242	2
at Western Michigan	3-23	-228	-8	-3	11	30-60	2.0	9-26	59	8	19	43-147	3.4	17-28	200	4
New Mexico St																
at Colorado St																
San Diego St																
at UNLV																
Wyoming																
at Nevada																
Utah St																
Bye																
Fresno St																
Average	18-20	-13.3	-2.5	-1.8	16	25-79	3.2	48.4%	253	6.5%	19	36-136	3.8	56.7%	209	6.7%
Conference	17-13	-78.0	-1.0	-1.0	15	26-56	2.2	45.1%	235	3.9%	16	37-127	3.4	46.2%	242	5.1%
Home	45-14	293.0	4.0	-2.0	21	23-133	5.8	60.0%	410	0.0%	17	31-111	3.6	54.8%	139	3.2%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

None

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing

	New Mexico St	San Jose St	
79 yards			148 yards

Projected Passing

	New Mexico St	San Jose St	
170 yards			328 yards

Projected Yardage Total

	New Mexico St	San Jose St	
249 yards			476 yards

Projected Final Score

	New Mexico St	San Jose St	
10 points			31 points

Experience Rankings

	New Mexico St	San Jose St	
85			13

Team Schedule Strength

	New Mexico St	San Jose St	
99			62

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	San Jose St By 27.5
Las Vegas Total	51.5 Points
+/- Ratings	San Jose St By 24.8
Game Grade	San Jose St By 19.7
Computer Yards	San Jose St 476-249
Computer Points	San Jose St 31-10
Phil Steele	San Jose St by 21

Phil's Forecast:

Played every year from 2005-2012 with the Aggies only winning one in that span (29-27 in 2010) and San Jose leads the series 17-3. Last time here ('11) Aggies were a 10' pt AD, but led 24-17 late 3Q before allowing 17 unanswered to lose 34-24. Their last meeting was in '12 when SJSt won 47-7 (504-220). New Mexico St is 5-9 ATS as an AD the last 4 years but is 2-0 ATS this year leading San Diego St 10-0 at half with a 248-108 yd edge. Last week NMSt trail 17-13 H with 11-10 FD edge. Hawaii 38/7 for TD (after fmbl). Up 31-21 UH 51/8 41 FG. NMSt 4&32 SOD 2:54 left and UH 35/4 TD to cover 41-21 (-17). NMST int at UH 34 :29 left. San Jose is happy to be back at home as they were in Hawaii for a late game then flew across to Michigan for a game at 11:00 am PT. San Jose was a spread darling last year but is 0-3 ATS vs FBS teams and last week I was going to use WM as a best bet in a great situation but WM was without HC Lester (covid) so I backed off (ouch). WM led 20-3 at half then was SOD twice and settled for a FG in 2H and had 347-119 yard edge at home. San Jose's offense is gaining 144 ypg less than what their opponents allow but run into a NMST defense allowing foes 111 ypg above their season avg. QB Starkel was injured late last week and my AGG only has the Spartans by 19.8 and they are laying almost 4 TD's.

San Jose St 34 New Mexico St 13

Washington Huskies

Huskies Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		133		20		9/4	Montana	7-13	L	19	27	57			
0-1	1-0	0-0	0-0	128	134			9/11	at Michigan	10-31	L	27	28	111	31	37	2
0-2	1-1	0-0	0-0	126	112			9/18	Arkansas St	52-3	W	31	29	125	59	111	90
1-2	1-2	0-0	0-0	130	128			9/25	California	31-24	W	51	13	103	37	55	118
2-2	3-1	1-0	1-0	130	133			10/2	at Oregon St			59	15	98	25	45	60
								10/9	Bye								
	3-1		1-0		137			10/16	UCLA						30	13	36
	0-4		0-1		111			10/23	at Arizona						100	93	125
	2-2		1-1		129			10/30	at Stanford						45	55	90
	4-0		1-0		137			11/6	Oregon						26	28	39
	3-1		1-0		132			11/13	Arizona St						23	27	12
	1-3		0-1		117			11/19	at Colorado						117	60	101
	1-3		0-2		121			11/26	Washington St						92	68	64

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Montana	7-13	59	11	-3	21	27-65	2.4	27-46	226	3	10	34-127	3.7	12-23	105	1
at Michigan	10-31	-44	-1	-1	19	32-50	1.6	20-37	293	4	20	56-343	6.1	7-15	44	0
Arkansas St	52-3	330	15	0	30	39-200	5.1	25-44	398	1	15	23-48	2.1	22-49	220	3
California	31-24	-131	-3	2	18	30-92	3.1	19-32	234	1	21	37-138	3.7	30-42	319	3
at Oregon St																
Bye																
UCLA																
at Arizona																
at Stanford																
Oregon																
Arizona St																
at Colorado																
Washington St																
Average	25-18	53.5	5.5	-0.5	22	32-102	3.2	57.2%	288	5.7%	17	38-164	4.4	55.0%	172	5.4%
Conference	31-24	-131.0	-3.0	2.0	18	30-92	3.1	59.4%	234	3.1%	21	37-138	3.7	71.4%	319	7.1%
Away	10-31	-44.0	-1.0	-1.0	19	32-50	1.6	54.1%	293	10.8%	20	56-343	6.1	46.7%	44	0.0%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
2-2	3-1
vs. PAC 12	vs. PAC 12
1-0	1-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Washington		Oregon St
#113	Rush Off	#17
#27	Pass Off	#55
#73	**Total Off**	**#24**
#95	Score Off	#27
#81	Sks Allowed	#8
#85	Rush Def	#22
#24	Pass Def	#114
#52	**Total Def**	**#70**
#27	Score Def	#51
#82	Sks By	#58
#66	Ypg Diff	#37
-2	**Total TO's**	**+4**

Washington Huskies | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Oregon St Beavers**

Position by Position Edges

Washington		Oregon St
	Washington QB/WR vs. Oregon St DB's	0.58
	Washington RB's vs. Oregon St LB's	2.32
0.62	Washington OL vs. Oregon St DL	
	Washington DL vs. Oregon St OL	1.04
0.74	Washington LB'S vs. Oregon St RB's	
2.36	Washington DB's vs. Oregon St QB/WR	
	Washington ST's vs. Oregon St ST's	0.39
0.10	Washington K vs. Oregon St K	
0.05	Washington Coaches vs. Oregon St Coaches	
3.88	Washington Pts vs. Oregon St Pts	4.33

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Oregon St

By 0.45 Points

Oregon St Beavers

Beavers Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	124	127			9/4	at Purdue	21-30	L	71	83	69	48	71	101
0-1	1-1	0-0	0-0	124	115			9/11	Hawaii	45-27	W	82	83	94	99	74	69
1-1		0-0		125				9/18	Idaho	42-0	W	63	80	56			
2-1	2-1	0-0	1-1	128	134			9/25	at USC	45-27	W	46	53	64	29	19	39
3-1	2-2	1-0	1-0	133	130			10/2	Washington			25	45	60	59	15	98
	1-3		0-2		121			10/9	at Washington St						92	68	64
								10/16	Bye								
	2-2		1-0		131			10/23	Utah						51	22	110
	1-3		0-1		128			10/30	at California						28	54	119
	1-3		0-1		117			11/6	at Colorado						117	60	101
	2-2		1-1		129			11/13	Stanford						45	55	90
	3-1		1-0		132			11/20	Arizona St						23	27	12
	4-0		1-0		137			11/27	at Oregon						26	28	39

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Purdue	21-30	-38	-9	0	15	25-78	3.1	21-38	285	1	24	33-88	2.7	29-42	313	1
Hawaii	45-27	104	2	1	28	42-256	6.1	21-29	302	1	26	29-88	3.0	24-49	366	4
Idaho	42-0	246	9	1	23	39-248	6.4	17-25	190	1	14	35-108	3.1	13-25	84	2
at USC	45-27	104	-1	2	31	51-322	6.3	15-19	213	0	32	22-76	3.5	31-49	355	2
Washington																
at Washington St																
Bye																
Utah																
at California																
at Colorado																
Stanford																
Arizona St																
at Oregon																
Average	38-21	104.0	0.3	1.0	24	39-226	5.8	66.7%	248	2.7%	24	30-90	3.0	58.8%	280	5.5%
Conference	45-27	104.0	-1.0	2.0	31	51-322	6.3	78.9%	213	0.0%	32	22-76	3.5	63.3%	355	4.1%
Home	44-14	175.0	5.5	1.0	26	41-252	6.2	70.4%	246	3.7%	20	32-98	3.1	50.0%	225	8.1%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Washington	-	-14	27	24	51-267	14-24-141	
Oregon St	-	51.5	21	16	34-167	11-24-85	-2
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Washington	-	-10	19	20	48-245	16-33-175	
Oregon St	-	65	7	6	22-31	19-28-88	1
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Washington	17	-33	42	22	42-275	18-25-228	
Oregon St	-	58.5	23	20	35-134	21-36-229	-2
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Washington	6	-27.5	42	32	41-216	26-34-293	
Oregon St	-	60	7	8	28-110	11-22-74	-1
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Washington	5	-36	41	26	39-219	15-31-300	
Oregon St	-	53	17	15	30-177	12-27-148	-1

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Projected Box Score

	Projected Rushing		
95 yards	Washington	Oregon St	228 yards
	Projected Passing		
245 yards	Washington	Oregon St	187 yards
	Projected Yardage Total		
340 yards	Washington	Oregon St	415 yards
	Projected Final Score		
26 points	Washington	Oregon St	30 points
	Experience Rankings		
33	Washington	Oregon St	43
	Team Schedule Strength		
69	Washington	Oregon St	57

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Oregon St By 2.5
Las Vegas Total	57 Points
+/- Ratings	Oregon St By 5.8
Game Grade	Oregon St By 12.7
Computer Yards	Oregon St 415-340
Computer Points	Oregon St 30-26
Phil Steele	Washington by 7

Phil's Forecast:

After going 6-1 vs UW from '04-'11, OSU has dropped the last 9 (3-6 ATS) to the Huskies (avg loss by 23 ppg) with OSU having 3 different head coaches in that span. Last year Oregon St trailed by 3 at HT but was held scoreless in the 2H in a 27-21 (+14) loss UW had a 408-252 yd edge. Last time here ('19), Washington posted a 19-7 win (-10). UW opened a shocking 0-2 despite a 14-2 FD edge at half vs Montana and only being outgained by 44 yds in the Big House. They righted the ship whipping Ark St 52-3 and last week UW was without TE Otten, CB McDuffie and TE Westover. UW punted on 1st poss but scored TD's on next 3 drives to lead 21-7 with Cal getting FG at :00 21-10 H. UW up 24-17 fumble Cal 37 4Q, miss 47 yd FG Cal 62/9 for TD 2:51 left 24-24. Cal miss 55 yd FG :00. UW TD and Cal fumble at 1 in OT, UW 31-24 win. OSU lost at Purdue by 9 then got a late score to cover vs Hawaii and blanked Idaho 42-0. Last week Oregon St ended a 24 gm losing streak in the Coliseum with its first win there since 1960 in interim HC Williams first home game. OSU led 21-17 H. OSU TD's 1st 3 poss 3Q to lead 42-17 and won 45-27 with 535-431 yd edge. This is a do or die game for Washington which still controls its destiny in winning the Pac 12 and they are an underdog to Oregon St for the first time since 2012 (favored in the last 6 by 22.6 ppg!).

Washington 30 Oregon St 23

Wash St Cougars

Cougars Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	OFF	DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	133	110			9/4	Utah St	23-26	L	42	91	128	101	100	24
0-1		0-0		128				9/11	Portland St	44-24	W	43	89	73			
1-1	1-1	0-0	0-1	125	130			9/18	USC	14-45	L	58	91	30	14	19	45
1-2	1-2	0-1	0-0	121	131			9/25	at Utah	13-24	L	77	66	52	53	33	102
1-3	1-3	0-2	0-1	121	128			10/2	at California			92	68	64	28	54	119
	3-1		1-0		133			10/9	Oregon St						25	45	60
	2-2		1-1		129			10/16	Stanford						45	55	90
	4-0		0-0		130			10/23	BYU						63	101	31
	3-1		1-0		132			10/30	at Arizona St						23	27	12
								11/6	Bye								
	4-0		1-0		137			11/13	at Oregon						26	28	39
	0-4		0-1		111			11/20	Arizona						100	93	125
	2-2		1-0		130			11/27	at Washington						59	15	98

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Utah St	23-26	-81	-5	1	20	26-149	5.7	20-35	211	2	25	46-222	4.8	23-36	219	0
Portland St	44-24	42	3	1	27	33-159	4.8	21-32	303	2	24	27-102	3.8	28-50	318	2
USC	14-45	-168	-9	-1	15	30-99	3.3	20-34	180	3	24	25-48	1.9	21-48	399	1
at Utah	13-24	-31	3	0	22	37-70	1.9	25-38	248	8	19	33-212	6.4	13-23	137	1
at California																
Oregon St																
Stanford																
BYU																
at Arizona St																
Bye																
at Oregon																
Arizona																
at Washington																
Average	24-30	-59.5	-2.0	0.3	21	32-119	3.8	61.9%	236	10.8%	23	33-146	4.5	54.1%	268	2.5%
Conference	14-35	-99.5	-3.0	-0.5	19	34-85	2.5	62.5%	214	15.3%	22	29-130	4.5	47.9%	268	2.8%
Away	13-24	-31.0	3.0	0.0	22	37-70	1.9	65.8%	248	21.1%	19	33-212	6.4	56.5%	137	4.3%

OVERALL: 1-3 vs. PAC 12 0-2

OVERALL: 1-3 vs. PAC 12 0-1

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Wash St		California
#105	Rush Off	#57
#62	Pass Off	#37
#97	**Total Off**	**#39**
#98	Score Off	#69
#118	Sks Allowed	#51
#72	Rush Def	#43
#108	Pass Def	#119
#91	**Total Def**	**#94**
#97	Score Def	#92
#113	Sks By	#94
#106	Ypg Diff	#75
+1	**Total TO's**	**-1**

Wash St Cougars | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **California Golden Bears**

Position by Position Edges

Wash St		California
	Wash St QB/WR vs. California DB's	0.83
	Wash St RB's vs. California LB's	2.09
	Wash St OL vs. California DL	0.26
	Wash St DL vs. California OL	1.38
	Wash St LB'S vs. California RB's	0.12
0.74	Wash St DB's vs. California QB/WR	
1.82	Wash St ST's vs. California ST's	
0.60	Wash St K vs. California K	
	Wash St Coaches vs. California Coaches	0.40
3.15	Wash St Pts vs. California Pts	5.08

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

California

By 1.93 Points

California Golden Bears

Golden Bears Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	OFF	DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	129	126			9/4	Nevada	17-22	L	81	56	107	25	62	14
0-1	1-0	0-0	0-0	126	139			9/11	at TCU	32-34	L	87	43	126	16	9	6
0-2		0-0		131				9/18	Sacramento St	42-30	W	75	41	120			
1-2	1-2	0-0	0-0	128	130			9/25	at Washington	24-31	L	37	55	118	51	13	103
1-3	1-3	0-1	0-2	128	121			10/2	Washington St			28	54	119	92	68	64
								10/9	Bye								
	4-0		1-0		137			10/16	at Oregon						26	28	39
	1-3		0-1		117			10/23	Colorado						117	60	101
	3-1		1-0		133			10/30	Oregon St						25	45	60
	0-4		0-1		111			11/6	at Arizona						100	93	125
	2-2		1-2		129			11/13	USC						37	41	33
	2-2		1-1		129			11/20	at Stanford						45	55	90
	3-1		1-0		137			11/27	at UCLA						30	13	36

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Nevada	17-22	-43	-2	0	17	27-153	5.7	25-38	177	2	19	26-61	2.3	22-39	312	2
at TCU	32-34	-56	-15	1	16	27-133	4.9	16-27	309	2	31	50-264	5.3	17-31	234	3
Sacramento St	42-30	67	5	0	29	33-246	7.5	22-34	288	0	24	22-59	2.7	29-55	408	0
at Washington	24-31	131	3	-2	21	37-138	3.7	30-42	319	3	18	30-92	3.1	19-32	234	1
Washington St																
Bye																
at Oregon																
Colorado																
Oregon St																
at Arizona																
USC																
at Stanford																
at UCLA																
Average	29-29	24.8	-2.3	-0.3	21	31-168	5.4	66.0%	273	5.0%	23	32-119	3.7	55.4%	297	3.8%
Conference	24-31	131.0	3.0	-2.0	21	37-138	3.7	71.4%	319	7.1%	18	30-92	3.1	59.4%	234	3.1%
Home	30-26	12.0	1.5	0.0	23	30-200	6.7	65.3%	233	2.8%	22	24-60	2.5	54.3%	360	2.1%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2019	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Washington St	-	-7.5	20	23	14-16	45-58-407	
California	-	51.5	33	19	36-196	16-24-230	1
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Washington St	10	-8.5	19	23	15-76	35-51-337	
California	-	50.5	13	20	36-112	18-33-179	0
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Washington St	8	-16	3	16	26-23	32-48-314	
California	-	54.5	37	18	32-106	21-38-259	7
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Washington St	23	-16	56	34	31-253	39-55-400	
California	-	82.5	21	30	30-100	34-53-425	0

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Projected Box Score

	Projected Rushing		
84 yards	Wash St	California	156 yards
	Projected Passing		
240 yards	Wash St	California	303 yards
	Projected Yardage Total		
323 yards	Wash St	California	458 yards
	Projected Final Score		
20 points	Wash St	California	33 points
	Experience Rankings		
20	Wash St	California	35
	Team Schedule Strength		
61	Wash St	California	50

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	California By 7.5
Las Vegas Total	52.5 Points
+/- Ratings	California By 10.5
Game Grade	California By 10.7
Computer Yards	California 458-323
Computer Points	California 33-20
Phil Steele	California by 3

Phil's Forecast:

Last time here ('19), Cal topped WSU 33-20 to end a 4-game losing streak while the Cougars were playing in their 4th road game in 5 outings. QB Gordon was 45-58 (19 straight comp) for 407 yds but WSU lost for the 5th time in 6 games, 33-20. Wazzou has dropped 12 of the last 15 in the series including going 1-6 SU (5-2 ATS) in Berkeley. They did not play last year. Blown leads were the story for Wash St early as they led Utah St 23-11 with 5:30 to go but lost on a TD pass with :11 left. They led Portland St 37-10 but allowed two late TD's including one with 23 left. They led USC 14-7 at half but lost QB DeLaura for the 3Q while USC scored 28 3Q pts to take control. Last week There was a shooting on the WSU campus early Sat morning and WR Gray was shot and in serious condition. Guarantano hit 25-36-248. WSt had a 16-5 FD edge and 212-96 yd edge at half but trailed 7-6 as they were SOD 34, int 25 and settle 39 & 20 yd FG. Utah fmbl 1st play 3Q Wash St 21/2 TD lead 13-7. Utah had 17-1 FD edge after that and missed a FG, went 83/6 and fmbl into EZ then 72/8 TD lead 17-13 4:43 left and Phillips 54 yd IR TD 2:19 left 24-13. Cal opened 0-2 getting upset by Nevada in the opener but then played TCU tough and lost by 2 then only beat Sacramento St 42-30. Last week they trailed UW 21-7 and up 24-17 UW fumbled at Cal 37 and missed a FG and Cal rallied to force OT but lost by 7 fumbling at 1 in OT. The key number here is 10 as in the fact Cal is 0-10 ATS their last 10 as a HF.

California 27 Washington St 24

Oregon Ducks

Ducks Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	135	125	11		9/4	Fresno St	31-24	W	11	14	78	34	69	125
1-0	1-0	0-0	1-0	134	146	12	3	9/11	at Ohio St	35-28	W	18	17	20	2	15	49
2-0		0-0		139		4		9/18	Stony Brook	48-7	W	23	22	74			
3-0	0-3	0-0	0-0	139	109	3		9/25	Arizona	41-19	W	26	26	38	100	99	126
4-0	2-2	1-0	1-1	137	129	3		10/2	at Stanford			26	28	39	45	55	90
								10/9	Bye								
	1-3		0-1		128			10/16	California						28	54	119
	3-1		1-0		137			10/23	at UCLA						30	13	36
	1-3		0-1		117			10/30	Colorado						117	60	101
	2-2		1-0		130			11/6	at Washington						59	15	98
	1-3		0-2		121			11/13	Washington St						92	68	64
	2-2		1-0		131			11/20	at Utah						51	22	110
	3-1		1-0		133			11/27	Oregon St						25	45	60

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Offense Comp Att	Offense Yds Pass	Offense Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Defense Comp Att	Defense Yds Pass	Defense Sks
Fresno St	31-24	-15	-3	2	20	49-186	3.8	15-24	172	3	23	30-75	2.5	30-43	298	4
at Ohio St	35-28	-107	-5	1	27	38-269	7.1	17-35	236	0	32	31-128	4.1	35-54	484	2
Stony Brook	48-7	165	12	4	26	39-173	4.4	22-30	263	3	14	39-140	3.6	10-23	131	1
Arizona	41-19	-42	-14	5	17	31-187	6.0	10-24	206	2	31	53-202	3.8	21-35	233	1
at Stanford																
Bye																
California																
at UCLA																
Colorado																
at Washington																
Washington St																
at Utah																
Oregon St																
Average	39-20	0.3	-2.5	3.0	23	39-204	5.2	56.6%	219	7.1%	25	38-136	3.6	61.9%	287	5.2%
Conference	41-19	-42.0	-14.0	5.0	17	31-187	6.0	41.7%	206	8.3%	31	53-202	3.8	60.0%	233	2.9%
Away	35-28	-107.0	-5.0	1.0	27	38-269	7.1	48.6%	236	0.0%	32	31-128	4.1	64.8%	484	3.7%

	OVERALL:	OVERALL:
	4-0	2-2
	vs. PAC 12	vs. PAC 12
	1-0	1-1
NCAA RANKINGS		
2021 TEAM RANKINGS	Oregon	Stanford
	Rush Off	
#31		#111
#78	Pass Off	#63
#52	**Total Off**	**#99**
#20	Score Off	#71
#70	Sks Allowed	#51
#61	Rush Def	#115
#116	Pass Def	#42
#99	**Total Def**	**#84**
#41	Score Def	#85
#74	Sks By	#82
#88	Ypg Diff	#104
+12	**Total TO's**	**+1**

Oregon Ducks | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Stanford Cardinal**

Position by Position Edges		
Oregon		Stanford
	Oregon QB/WR vs. Stanford DB's	1.13
	Oregon RB's vs. Stanford LB's	0.10
1.42	Oregon OL vs. Stanford DL	
0.25	Oregon DL vs. Stanford OL	
1.37	Oregon LB'S vs. Stanford RB's	
0.64	Oregon DB's vs. Stanford QB/WR	
	Oregon ST's vs. Stanford ST's	1.80
	Oregon K vs. Stanford K	0.70
	Oregon Coaches vs. Stanford Coaches	0.40
3.68	Oregon Pts vs. Stanford Pts	4.13

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Stanford

By 0.44 Points

Stanford Cardinal

Cardinal Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	131	125			9/4	† Kansas St	7-24	L	58	67	37	53	96	19
0-1	1-0	0-0	0-0	126	135		14	9/11	at USC	42-28	W	54	67	117	11	18	39
1-1	1-1	1-0	0-0	131	111			9/18	at Vanderbilt	41-23	W	56	67	115	115	115	78
2-1	2-1	1-0	0-0	131	135		24	9/25	UCLA	24-35	L	43	57	95	30	13	36
2-2	4-0	1-1	1-0	129	137		3	10/2	Oregon			45	55	90	26	28	39
	3-1		1-0		132			10/9	at Arizona St						23	27	12
	1-3		0-2		121			10/16	at Washington St						92	68	64
								10/23	Bye								
	2-2		1-0		130			10/30	Washington						59	15	98
	2-2		1-0		131			11/6	Utah						51	22	110
	3-1		1-0		133			11/13	at Oregon St						25	45	60
	1-3		0-1		128			11/20	California						28	54	119
	4-0		0-0		140			11/27	Notre Dame						68	5	23

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Offense Comp Att	Offense Yds Pass	Offense Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Defense Comp Att	Defense Yds Pass	Defense Sks
† Kansas St	7-24	-111	-1	-1	14	22-39	1.8	23-30	194	4	15	31-200	6.5	9-14	144	3
at USC	42-28	-33	-6	1	18	30-141	4.7	16-23	234	0	24	33-185	5.6	27-42	223	0
at Vanderbilt	41-23	24	-3	1	20	27-204	7.6	19-29	218	1	23	44-247	5.6	18-40	151	1
UCLA	24-35	-95	-13	0	11	22-67	3.0	19-32	293	2	24	51-204	4.0	18-29	251	3
Oregon																
at Arizona St																
at Washington St																
Bye																
Washington																
Utah																
at Oregon St																
California																
Notre Dame																
Average	29-28	-53.8	-5.8	0.3	16	25-113	4.5	67.5%	235	6.1%	22	40-209	5.3	57.6%	192	5.6%
Conference	33-32	-64.0	-9.5	0.5	15	26-104	4.0	63.6%	264	3.6%	24	42-195	4.6	63.4%	237	4.2%
Home	24-35	-95.0	-13.0	0.0	11	22-67	3.0	59.4%	293	6.3%	24	51-204	4.0	62.1%	251	10.3%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

None

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Projected Box Score

Oregon		Stanford
	Projected Rushing	
206 yards	Oregon	142 yards
	Projected Passing	
157 yards	Oregon	268 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
362 yards	Oregon	411 yards
	Projected Final Score	
31 points	Oregon	28 points
	Experience Rankings	
101	Oregon	118
	Team Schedule Strength	
64	Oregon	4

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Oregon By 8
Las Vegas Total	58 Points
+/- Ratings	Oregon By 3.5
Game Grade	Stanford By 3.8
Computer Yards	Stanford 411-362
Computer Points	Oregon 31-28
Phil Steele	Oregon by 3

Phil's Forecast:

These two have split the last 12 and the road team is 7-4 SU & ATS since '11. Last year Oregon led 28-7 thru 3Q's en route to a 35-14 win (-10). 90 minutes before kickoff Stanford announced the QB Mills and top WR Wedington would miss game. Jet Toner missed FOUR FG's for Stanford and Ducks tacked on TD with 3:37 left for 35-14 win with only 496-413 yd edge. Last time here ('19), UO held its 3rd straight opponent without a TD in a 21-6 win (-10') ending a 3-game losing streak to the Cardinal in a 21-6 win. Mario Cristobal is 18-1 SU at home but just 8-6 away SU. David Shaw is 6-3 ATS as a HD. Stanford opened up playing at 9 am PT and split QB duties with McKee and West but Mckee took over vs USC and led the 3 TD upset then led the win over Vandy where they led 41-17 before giving up a TD on the last play. Last week Stanford was missing 3 of its top 4 RB's with the backup a walk on and was missing 4 of their top DB's. UCLA had a 21-7 edge at half after a TD with :23 left. Stanford got 56 & 46 yd TD passes to tie. UCLA then got a 75 yd TD pass and after Stanf FG, UCLA went 75/13 for TD 2:24 left and had a 455-360 yd edge. Oregon trailed Fresno in the 4Q but won then upset Ohio State. Last week they were a 4 TD favorite at home Arizona had a 31-17 FD edge but QB McCloud who threw for 233 yds had 5 int's. Arizona had 200+ rush and pass with 435-393 yd edge. Oregon led 24-10 at half scoring twice off int's. AZ got a safety then a 71/12 TD to pull to 24-19 after 3Q. ORE had 17-0 4Q with a 68 yd IR TD by Williams and AZ 53/13 miss FG. My AGG has Stanford at 102.0 and Oregon at 103.6 so the AGG has Stanford favored by 2.9 and they are an 8-point home dog. Stanford needs to get some of those players back to live up to the computers numbers but I like the home dog here.

Oregon 31 Stanford 28

C Michigan Chippewas

Chippewas Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	116	124			9/4	at Missouri	24-34	L	77	89	42	75	74	30
0-1		0-0		116				9/11	Robert Morris	45-0	W	69	92	80			
1-1	1-1	0-0	0-0	117	138			9/18	at LSU	21-49	L	69	110	65	46	14	34
1-2	1-2	0-0	0-0	117	106			9/25	FIU	31-27	W	70	106	54	81	93	18
2-2	1-3	0-0	0-0	115	116			10/2	at Miami, OH			54	105	71	110	116	66
	0-4		0-0		107			10/9	at Ohio						106	125	84
	2-2		1-0		121			10/16	Toledo						95	52	51
	2-2		0-0		114			10/23	Northern Illinois						81	122	109
								10/30	Bye								
	3-1		0-0		123			11/3	at Western Michigan						86	80	122
	1-3		0-0		121			11/10	Kent St						66	107	120
	1-3		0-1		116			11/17	at Ball St						122	109	45
	3-1		0-0		122			11/26	Eastern Michigan						97	110	103

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Missouri	24-34	7	1	-2	27	39-174	4.5	24-47	301	9	26	36-211	5.9	21-32	257	2
Robert Morris	45-0	406	25	1	28	56-310	5.5	17-25	205	2	3	30-96	3.2	5-8	13	0
at LSU	21-49	-200	-6	-1	17	31-56	1.8	25-39	228	5	23	24-84	3.5	27-39	400	1
FIU	31-27	162	11	0	29	40-202	5.1	30-49	397	2	18	32-42	1.3	20-38	395	5
at Miami, OH																
at Ohio																
Toledo																
Northern Illinois																
Bye																
at Western Michigan																
Kent St																
at Ball St																
Eastern Michigan																
Average	30-28	93.8	7.8	-0.5	25	42-186	4.5	60.0%	283	11.3%	18	31-108	3.5	62.4%	266	6.8%
Conference	0-0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Away	23-42	-96.5	-2.5	-1.5	22	35-115	3.3	57.0%	265	16.3%	25	30-148	4.9	67.6%	329	4.2%

OVERALL: 2-2 **vs. MAC** 0-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

C Michigan		Miami, OH
#47	Rush Off	#91
#31	Pass Off	#85
#26	**Total Off**	**#105**
#62	Score Off	#101
#124	Sks Allowed	#23
#32	Rush Def	#117
#107	Pass Def	#9
#73	**Total Def**	**#65**
#85	Score Def	#85
#74	Sks By	#82
#43	Ypg Diff	#95
-2	**Total TO's**	**-1**

C Michigan Chippewas | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Miami, OH Redhawks**

Position by Position Edges

C Michigan		Miami, OH
1.47	C Michigan QB/WR vs. Miami, OH DB's	
0.48	C Michigan RB's vs. Miami, OH LB's	
0.89	C Michigan OL vs. Miami, OH DL	
0.46	C Michigan DL vs. Miami, OH OL	
0.77	C Michigan LB'S vs. Miami, OH RB's	
	C Michigan DB's vs. Miami, OH QB/WR	0.44
3.40	C Michigan ST's vs. Miami, OH ST's	
0.20	C Michigan K vs. Miami, OH K	
	C Michigan Coaches vs. Miami, OH Coaches	0.25
7.68	C Michigan Pts vs. Miami, OH Pts	0.69

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

C Michigan

By 6.99 Points

Miami, OH Redhawks

Redhawks Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	120	137		8	9/4	at Cincinnati	14-49	L	113	103	91	46	5	48
0-1	0-1	0-0	0-1	117	133			9/11	at Minnesota	26-31	L	115	108	108	47	97	104
0-2		0-0		119				9/18	Long Island	42-7	W	119	112	77			
1-2	3-0	0-0	1-0	116	123			9/25	at Army West Point	10-23	L	106	110	36	42	71	44
1-3	2-2	0-0	0-0	116	115			10/2	Central Michigan			110	116	66	54	105	71
	3-1		0-0		122			10/9	at Eastern Michigan						97	110	103
	1-3		0-0		95			10/16	Akron						123	129	129
	1-3		0-1		116			10/23	at Ball St						122	109	45
	0-4		0-0		107			10/30	at Ohio						106	125	84
	2-2		0-0		115			11/6	Buffalo						94	108	100
	2-2		0-0		97			11/13	Bowling Green						127	85	24
								11/20	Bye								
	1-3		0-0		121			11/27	at Kent St						66	107	120

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Cincinnati	14-49	-264	-10	3	17	45-169	3.8	9-28	109	2	27	31-247	8.0	20-26	295	2
at Minnesota	26-31	54	1	-2	20	30-104	3.5	16-31	237	0	19	46-175	3.8	8-17	112	1
Long Island	42-7	307	14	-1	27	36-229	6.4	18-25	294	1	13	38-38	1.0	15-21	178	4
at Army West Point	10-23	-152	-3	-1	13	20-28	1.4	12-27	204	2	16	63-384	6.1	0-5	0	0
Central Michigan																
at Eastern Michigan																
Akron																
at Ball St																
at Ohio																
Buffalo																
Bowling Green																
Bye																
at Kent St																
Average	23-28	-13.8	0.5	-0.3	19	33-133	4.0	49.5%	211	4.5%	19	45-211	4.7	62.3%	146	10.1%
Conference	0-0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Home	42-7	307.0	14.0	-1.0	27	36-229	6.4	72.0%	294	4.0%	13	38-38	1.0	71.4%	178	19.0%

OVERALL: 1-3 **vs. MAC** 0-0

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2019	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Central Michigan	-	-6.5	21	20	31-99	27-43-256	
Miami, Oh	-	55.5	26	15	35-76	14-27-196	1
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Central Michigan	-	-1.5	14	19	38-117	20-39-228	
Miami, Oh	-	52	31	20	40-177	11-19-217	2
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Central Michigan	-	47	17	15	23-50	21-32-242	
Miami, Oh	-	E	37	21	41-218	13-21-218	2

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Projected Box Score

C Michigan		Miami, OH
	Projected Rushing	
161 yards	C Michigan	Miami, OH 122 yards
	Projected Passing	
241 yards	C Michigan	Miami, OH 274 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
402 yards	C Michigan	Miami, OH 396 yards
	Projected Final Score	
27 points	C Michigan	Miami, OH 28 points
	Experience Rankings	
18	C Michigan	Miami, OH 32
	Team Schedule Strength	
97	C Michigan	Miami, OH 47

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Miami, Oh By 1
Las Vegas Total	56 Points
+/- Ratings	Miami, Oh By 4.3
Game Grade	C Michigan By 0.9
Computer Yards	C Michigan 402-396
Computer Points	Miami, Oh 28-27
Phil Steele	Mimai, Oh by 6

Phil's Forecast:

Last time here ('16) CM led 14-13 2Q but lost 37-17 (E). RedHawks have won 3 straight SU & ATS vs the Chippewas including a 26-21 win (+6) in 2019's MAC Championship. McElwain just 4-7 SU on the road with CMichigan outgained Missouri on the road and blasted Robert Morris but lost at LSU by 28. Last week FIU led 14-10 at half and blkd a punt for a TD to put them up 27-10 after 3Q. CM Bkp QB Richardson led 80/10. 76/8 yd TD drives 27-24. FIU miss 28 yd FG 4:06 CM SOD 2:20 left at 43 but 80/5 27 yd TD pass 1:11 left to lead. FIU 72/9 to 18 but int in EZ :00. Miami mails it in vs non conf teams and this year went 1-3 SU and 2-2 ATS. Last week Army led 17-3 at half after a blocked punt got Army a late FG and Army went 99/18 for TD 23-3 lead 11:22 left Miami got 80 yd TD pass to Davis but punt and Army 23-11 run out clock 23-10 final. Miami has taken on the tougher schedule (#47 vs #97) and they finally play their full gameplan and all the stuff they have been saving. The RedHawks are a league best 25-9 SU their last 34 MAC games. Miami has won 10 home games in a row SU and Central Michigan is 4-15 SU their last 19 away from home.

Miami, Oh 30 Central Michigan 24

Bowling Green Falcons

Falcons Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	84	120			9/4	at Tennessee	6-38	L	126	128	115	79	65	33
0-1	1-0	0-0	0-0	85	111			9/11	South Alabama	19-22	L	125	127	55	121	96	72
0-2		0-0		87	103			9/18	Murray St	27-10	W	123	124	28			
1-2	2-1	0-0	0-1	92	135			9/25	at Minnesota	14-10	W	123	101	19	59	60	75
2-2	1-3	0-0	0-0	97	121			10/2	at Kent St			127	85	24	66	107	120
	1-3		0-0		95			10/9	Akron						123	129	129
	2-2		0-0		114			10/16	at Northern Illinois						81	122	109
	3-1		0-0		122			10/23	Eastern Michigan						97	110	103
	2-2		0-0		115			10/30	at Buffalo						94	108	100
								11/6	Bye								
	2-2		1-0		121			11/13	Toledo						95	52	51
	1-3		0-0		116			11/20	at Miami, OH						110	116	66
	0-4		0-0		107			11/27	Ohio						106	125	84

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Offense Comp Att	Offense Yds Pass	Offense Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Defense Comp Att	Defense Yds Pass	Defense Sks
at Tennessee	6-38	-256	-20	2	11	23-32	1.4	25-38	187	2	31	64-331	5.2	12-24	144	3
South Alabama	19-22	-54	-11	-1	10	19-9	0.5	23-33	308	3	21	37-114	3.1	29-46	257	2
Murray St	27-10	138	2	1	22	43-118	2.7	22-28	221	2	20	33-69	2.1	13-28	132	3
at Minnesota	14-10	-49	0	1	12	25-22	0.9	19-36	170	4	12	45-182	4.0	5-13	59	4
at Kent St																
Akron																
at Northern Illinois																
Eastern Michigan																
at Buffalo																
Bye																
Toledo																
at Miami, OH																
Ohio																
Average	17-20	-55.3	-7.3	0.8	14	28-45	1.6	65.9%	222	8.1%	21	45-174	3.9	53.2%	148	10.8%
Conference	0-0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Away	10-24	-152.5	-10.0	1.5	12	24-27	1.1	59.5%	179	8.1%	22	55-257	4.7	45.9%	102	18.9%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
2-2	1-3
vs. MAC	vs. MAC
0-0	0-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Bowling Green		Kent St
#129	Rush Off	#14
#75	Pass Off	#90
#123	**Total Off**	**#40**
#122	Score Off	#100
#99	Sks Allowed	#124
#93	Rush Def	#110
#11	Pass Def	#102
#42	**Total Def**	**#116**
#45	Score Def	#94
#25	Sks By	#104
#105	Ypg Diff	#97
+3	**Total TO's**	**+8**

Bowling Green Falcons | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Kent St Golden Flashes**

Position by Position Edges

Bowling Green		Kent St
	Bowling Green QB/WR vs. Kent St DB's	0.63
	Bowling Green RB's vs. Kent St LB's	2.40
	Bowling Green OL vs. Kent St DL	0.20
	Bowling Green DL vs. Kent St OL	0.81
	Bowling Green LB'S vs. Kent St RB's	0.84
1.37	Bowling Green DB's vs. Kent St QB/WR	
2.78	Bowling Green ST's vs. Kent St ST's	
	Bowling Green K vs. Kent St K	1.50
	Bowling Green Coaches vs. Kent St Coaches	1.25
4.15	Bowling Green Pts vs. Kent St Pts	7.63

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Kent St

By 3.48 Points

Kent St Golden Flashes

Golden Flashes Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	121	143		6	9/4	at Texas A&M	10-41	L	54	123	127	14	6	36
0-1		0-0		120	92			9/11	VMI	60-10	W	63	124	112			
1-1	2-0	0-0	1-0	124	148		5	9/18	at Iowa	7-30	L	64	123	111	103	7	10
1-2	3-0	0-0	1-0	124	124			9/25	at Maryland	16-37	L	65	107	120	18	21	34
1-3	2-2	0-0	0-0	121	97			10/2	Bowling Green			66	107	120	127	85	24
	2-2		0-0		115			10/9	Buffalo						94	108	100
	3-1		0-0		123			10/16	at Western Michigan						86	80	122
	0-4		0-0		107			10/23	at Ohio						106	125	84
								10/30	Bye								
	2-2		0-0		114			11/6	Northern Illinois						81	122	109
	2-2		0-0		115			11/13	at Central Michigan						54	105	71
	1-3		0-0		95			11/20	at Akron						123	129	129
	1-3		0-0		116			11/27	Miami, OH						110	116	66

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Offense Comp Att	Offense Yds Pass	Offense Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Defense Comp Att	Defense Yds Pass	Defense Sks
at Texas A&M	10-41	-259	-10	3	19	45-226	5.0	14-30	110	5	29	42-303	7.2	21-34	292	2
VMI	60-10	414	12	4	31	62-494	8.0	14-19	204	1	19	37-138	3.7	17-36	146	2
at Iowa	7-30	-154	-4	0	17	41-79	1.9	16-23	185	7	21	38-206	5.4	26-37	212	0
at Maryland	16-37	-68	4	1	27	47-150	3.2	19-33	308	5	23	28-142	5.1	31-41	384	1
Bowling Green																
Buffalo																
at Western Michigan																
at Ohio																
Bye																
Northern Illinois																
at Central Michigan																
at Akron																
Miami, OH																
Average	23-30	-16.8	0.5	2.0	24	49-237	4.9	60.0%	202	17.1%	23	36-197	5.4	64.2%	259	3.4%
Conference	0-0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Home	60-10	414.0	12.0	4.0	31	62-494	8.0	73.7%	204	5.3%	19	37-138	3.7	47.2%	146	5.6%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Bowling Green	-	55.5	24	16	43-260	6-20-105	
Kent St	-	-20.5	62	34	58-295	23-35-372	1
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Bowling Green	-	62.5	20	20	41-154	23-33-206	
Kent St	-	-11.5	62	34	48-375	31-36-375	2
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Bowling Green	-	-1	28	18	39-86	21-38-231	
Kent St	-	66	35	21	50-225	14-24-157	0
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Bowling Green	-	-2.5	44	18	46-227	14-19-174	
Kent St	-	49.5	16	20	32-144	16-35-140	-4
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Bowling Green	-	55	42	35	66-420	12-24-177	
Kent St	-	-3	7	10	22-9	15-28-245	3

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing

129 yards	Bowling Green	Kent St	285 yards

Projected Passing

173 yards	Bowling Green	Kent St	201 yards

Projected Yardage Total

303 yards	Bowling Green	Kent St	486 yards

Projected Final Score

18 points	Bowling Green	Kent St	31 points

Experience Rankings

126	Bowling Green	Kent St	68

Team Schedule Strength

81	Bowling Green	Kent St	13

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Kent St By 16.5
Las Vegas Total	56.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Kent St By 26.5
Game Grade	Kent St By 13.5
Computer Yards	Kent St 486-303
Computer Points	Kent St 32-18
Phil Steele	Kent St by 24

Phil's Forecast:

Last time here BG (+11') trailed just 14-7 late 1Q but were down 41-7 into 4Q & gave up a 72 yd TD run w/:12 left to lose 62-20 (+11'). Flashes have won 3 straight SU & ATS against Falcons but have never won 4 in a row in the series that dates back to 1920. Kent St scored 62 pts each of their last 2 vs BG (avg 707 ypg). Last year Dustin Crum passed for 4 TD's in 1H on a rainy Tuesday night. BG QB McDonald was just 6-20 passing with RB Stewart rushing for 162. It was 10-10 after 1Q but Kent led 38-10 half. Down 62-17 (+20') BG got a 69 yd TD pass with :39 left. Kent has gone thru 3 pay day games vs P5 teams and took on a pair of top 10 defenses in Iowa and Texas A&M. Last week in the 1H Kent St had two TD's called back on penalty and settled for 3 FG. Kent had the ball in MD territory on 7 of first 8 poss's but managed just 9 points! They fumbled at the 11 were SOD 4 times including at the 16 & 9 yard lines. MD led 24-9 at half and won 37-16 with Kent having 27-23 FD and MD a slim 526-458 yard-edge and my high scoring game of the week went under. BG has been a much-improved team with the biggest difference being QB as last year Matt McDonald was the lowest rated passer in the FBS hitting 41% with a 1-6 ratio and this year is hitting 67% with a 2-2 ratio. Last week Minny had a streak of 21 straight non conf wins snapped and first loss to non P5 tam s/2011 despite being +30' BGreen won 14-10. Minn QB Morgan was 5-13-59. BG led 7-3 H then Minn open 3Q TD and miss FG. BG 65/8 TD led 14-10 after 3Q BG fmble at UM 8 7:35 and UM's last 2 drives end ints at BG 35 and 47. BG had just 192 yds. Kent has faced my #13 rated sked and BG is at #81. With BG off emotional win and Kent 1-3 with losses to 3 strong teams, the Flashes will be ready to smack someone. BG avg just 267 ypg and won't be able to keep up with the Flash Fast offense.

Best Bet: ★★ Kent St 41 Bowling Green 17

Mississippi Rebels

Rebels Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	138	130			9/6	† Louisville	43-24	W	7	60	103	63	70	80
1-0		0-0		141	117	20		9/11	Austin Peay	54-17	W	7	60	103			
2-0	1-1	0-0	0-0	141	129	17		9/18	Tulane	61-21	W	3	43	38	65	71	33
3-0		0-0		145		13		9/25	Bye			2	44	58			
3-0	4-0	0-0	1-0	145	154	12	1	10/2	at Alabama			2	38	68	9	11	1
	4-0		1-0		138			10/9	Arkansas						18	12	54
	2-2		0-1		121			10/16	Tennessee						39	48	10
	3-1		1-0		138			10/23	LSU						55	18	25
	3-1		0-0		133			10/30	at Auburn						4	43	8
	3-1		0-0		130			11/6	Liberty						74	44	114
	3-1		0-1		137			11/13	Texas A&M						43	3	21
	1-3		0-1		107			11/20	Vanderbilt						119	111	102
	2-2		0-1		130			11/27	at Miss St						47	14	111

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
† Louisville	43-24	214	9	2	31	41-188	4.6	22-32	381	2	22	39-155	4.0	23-38	200	2
Austin Peay	54-17	226	3	1	29	43-336	7.8	24-39	294	2	26	37-144	3.9	24-44	260	5
Tulane	61-21	402	27	0	41	61-372	6.1	23-33	335	2	14	38-139	3.7	10-18	166	2
Bye																
at Alabama																
Arkansas																
Tennessee																
LSU																
at Auburn																
Liberty																
Texas A&M																
Vanderbilt																
at Miss St																
Average	53-21	280.7	13.0	1.0	34	48-299	6.2	66.3%	337	5.8%	21	38-146	3.8	57.0%	209	9.0%
Conference	0-0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Away	43-24	214.0	9.0	2.0	31	41-188	4.6	68.8%	381	6.3%	22	39-155	4.0	60.5%	200	5.3%

OVERALL: 3-0 **vs. SEC** 0-0

OVERALL: 4-0 **vs. SEC** 1-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Mississippi		Alabama
#4	Rush Off	#80
#11	Pass Off	#16
#1	**Total Off**	**#27**
#1	Score Off	#4
#38	Sks Allowed	#51
#72	Rush Def	#42
#52	Pass Def	#20
#62	**Total Def**	**#16**
#49	Score Def	#26
#58	Sks By	#45
#1	Ypg Diff	#16
+3	**Total TO's**	**+5**

Mississippi Rebels | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Alabama Crimson Tide**

Position by Position Edges

Mississippi		Alabama
0.26	Mississippi QB/WR vs. Alabama DB's	
0.18	Mississippi RB's vs. Alabama LB's	
0.52	Mississippi OL vs. Alabama DL	
	Mississippi DL vs. Alabama OL	0.21
0.67	Mississippi LB'S vs. Alabama RB's	
	Mississippi DB's vs. Alabama QB/WR	0.65
	Mississippi ST's vs. Alabama ST's	5.37
	Mississippi K vs. Alabama K	3.00
	Mississippi Coaches vs. Alabama Coaches	1.75
1.63	Mississippi Pts vs. Alabama Pts	10.98

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Alabama

By 9.34 Points

Alabama Crimson Tide

Crimson Tide Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	158	133	1	14	9/4	† Miami, Fl	44-13	W	8	1	1	5	17	31
1-0		0-0		159	102	1		9/11	Mercer	48-14	W	5	1	8			
2-0	2-0	0-0	0-0	155	136	1	11	9/18	at Florida	31-29	W	4	3	1	20	17	82
3-0	1-2	1-0	0-0	153	112	1		9/25	Southern Miss	63-14	W	15	7	1	119	64	23
4-0	3-0	1-0	0-0	154	145	1	12	10/2	Mississippi			9	11	1	2	38	68
	3-1		0-1		137			10/9	at Texas A&M						43	3	21
	2-2		0-1		130			10/16	at Miss St						47	14	111
	2-2		0-1		121			10/23	Tennessee						39	48	10
	3-1		1-0		138			10/30	LSU						55	18	25
	1-4		0-0		95			11/6	New Mexico St						126	126	52
	4-0		1-0		138			11/13	Arkansas						18	12	54
	3-1		0-0		133			11/20	at Auburn						4	43	8

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
† Miami, Fl	44-13	235	10	2	28	38-147	3.9	28-39	354	1	18	31-87	2.8	23-31	179	4
Mercer	48-14	208	11	2	24	34-158	4.6	20-31	266	2	13	36-48	1.3	10-18	168	3
at Florida	31-29	-115	-7	1	19	27-91	3.4	22-35	233	2	26	43-258	6.0	17-27	181	1
Southern Miss	63-14	393	11	0	22	33-211	6.4	23-26	395	2	11	3-82	27.3	11-24	131	2
Mississippi																
at Texas A&M																
at Miss St																
Tennessee																
LSU																
New Mexico St																
Arkansas																
at Auburn																
Average	47-18	180.3	6.3	1.3	23	33-152	4.6	71.0%	312	5.3%	17	28-119	4.2	61.0%	165	10.0%
Conference	31-29	-115.0	-7.0	1.0	19	27-91	3.4	62.9%	233	5.7%	26	43-258	6.0	63.0%	181	3.7%
Home	56-14	300.5	11.0	1.0	23	34-185	5.5	75.4%	331	7.0%	12	20-65	3.3	50.0%	150	11.9%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Mississippi	-	70	48	31	57-268	22-29-379	
Alabama	2	-23	63	37	39-306	28-32-417	-1
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Mississippi	-	62	31	25	58-279	12-30-197	
Alabama	2	-38	59	28	30-155	26-37-418	0
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Mississippi	-	70.1	7	9	37-115	7-22-133	
Alabama	1	-22.5	62	27	44-210	19-28-306	1
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Mississippi	-	57.5	3	11	26-88	14-29-165	
Alabama	1	-28	66	26	51-365	15-24-248	2
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Mississippi	19	54.5	43	23	33-101	26-40-421	
Alabama	1	-10	48	22	48-334	19-31-158	1

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Projected Box Score

Mississippi		Alabama
	Projected Rushing	
170 yards	Mississippi Alabama	181 yards
	Projected Passing	
252 yards	Mississippi Alabama	319 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
423 yards	Mississippi Alabama	500 yards
	Projected Final Score	
31 points	Mississippi Alabama	43 points
	Experience Rankings	
38	Mississippi Alabama	124
	Team Schedule Strength	
76	Mississippi Alabama	43

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Alabama By 14.5
Las Vegas Total	79.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Alabama By 2.8
Game Grade	Alabama By 4.7
Computer Yards	Alabama 500-423
Computer Points	Alabama 43-31
Phil Steele	Alabama by 10

Phil's Forecast:

Last year Ole Miss vs. No. 2 Alabama set records with highest-scoring regulation game in SEC history. Najee Harris 206 rush school record 5 TD and Bama 723-647 yd edge. 21-21 H 42-42 Bama 2 TD and Ole Miss 2 FG 56-48 UM onside Bama recover 39 yd TD run 1:09 left 63-48 (-23). Crimson Tide has won the last 5 meetings. Saban is 2-0 SU vs Lane Kiffin but 0-2 ATS. 1,370 total yards in last year's matchup were the most ever in an SEC game. Nick Saban is 24-0 SU vs former asst's, avg score 43-17. Last time here Ole Miss was coming off B2B losses to Bama by a combined 128-10. The Rebels actually led 10-7 after 1Q, they were outscored 31-0 in 2Q and lost 59-31 (+38). Bama does have a game at Texas A&M on deck but may want to put Kiffin in his place if afforded the opportunity. Alabama's dominating win over Miami lost some luster and despite a 21-3 lead in the Swamp they were outgained 439-324. Last week they got a TD with 2:49 left for the front door cover vs SMiss 63-14. Ole Miss is actually playing at a higher AGG this year as they are 3-0 with an offense that is averaging 272 ypg above what opp's allow and a defense that is allowing 122 ypg less than their opp's avg. They are at a 120.2 ypg so I like the Underdog here.

Alabama 41 Mississippi 31

UCF Knights

Knights Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	130	126			9/4	Boise St	36-31	W	10	69	76	44	52	10
1-0		0-0		130				9/11	Bethune-Cookman	63-14	W	9	76	120			
2-0	1-1	0-0	0-0	128	128			9/18	at Louisville	35-42	L	7	61	100	79	82	41
2-1		0-0		128				9/25	Bye			7	68	106			
2-1	0-3	0-0	0-1	128	114			10/2	at Navy			7	70	107	128	96	127
	2-2		0-0		121			10/9	East Carolina						85	94	42
	3-0		0-0		142			10/16	at Cincinnati						52	7	80
	3-1		0-0		125			10/23	Memphis						19	76	7
	2-2		0-0		107			10/30	at Temple						103	78	115
	1-3		0-0		123			11/6	Tulane						72	106	40
	4-0		0-0		127			11/13	at SMU						6	92	105
	0-5		0-1		96			11/20	Connecticut						129	128	113
	1-3		0-0		113			11/26	USF						112	123	117

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Boise St	36-31	290	12	-1	29	48-255	5.3	25-37	318	3	17	26-20	0.8	25-39	263	0
Bethune-Cookman	63-14	392	18	1	37	42-290	6.9	28-44	381	1	19	14-24	1.7	29-51	255	0
at Louisville	35-42	-81	-2	0	22	34-212	6.2	23-30	208	2	24	37-191	5.2	24-39	310	1
Bye																
at Navy																
East Carolina																
at Cincinnati																
Memphis																
at Temple																
Tulane																
at SMU																
Connecticut																
USF																
Average	45-29	200.3	9.3	0.0	29	41-252	6.1	68.5%	302	5.4%	20	26-78	3.1	60.5%	276	0.8%
Conference	0-0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Away	35-42	-81.0	-2.0	0.0	22	34-212	6.2	76.7%	208	6.7%	24	37-191	5.2	61.5%	310	2.6%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
2-1	0-3
vs. AAC	vs. AAC
0-0	0-1

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

UCF		Navy
#10	Rush Off	#45
#20	Pass Off	#129
#3	**Total Off**	**#126**
#6	Score Off	#129
#38	Sks Allowed	#120
#14	Rush Def	#58
#113	Pass Def	#69
#61	**Total Def**	**#63**
#91	Score Def	#112
#128	Sks By	#113
#8	Ypg Diff	#113
0	**Total TO's**	**-1**

UCF Knights | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Navy Midshipmen**

Position by Position Edges

UCF		Navy
1.82	UCF QB/WR vs. Navy DB's	
1.49	UCF RB's vs. Navy LB's	
1.02	UCF OL vs. Navy DL	
2.34	UCF DL vs. Navy OL	
1.68	UCF LB'S vs. Navy RB's	
1.91	UCF DB's vs. Navy QB/WR	
3.04	UCF ST's vs. Navy ST's	
	UCF K vs. Navy K	1.25
	UCF Coaches vs. Navy Coaches	1.95
13.29	UCF Pts vs. Navy Pts	3.20

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

UCF

By 10.09 Points

Navy Midshipmen

Midshipmen Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	121	114			9/4	Marshall	7-49	L	117	92	120	93	61	39
0-1	1-0	0-0	0-0	116	121			9/11	Air Force	3-23	L	117	88	130	74	103	101
0-2		0-0		113				9/18	Bye			122	88	127			
0-2	2-1	0-0	0-0	113	123			9/25	Houston	20-28	L	128	94	130	96	45	11
0-3	2-1	0-1	0-0	114	128			10/2	UCF			128	96	127	7	70	107
	4-0		0-0		127			10/9	SMU						6	92	105
	3-1		0-0		125			10/16	at Memphis						19	76	7
	3-0		0-0		142			10/23	Cincinnati						52	7	80
	1-3		0-0		122			10/30	at Tulsa						35	59	124
	4-0		0-0		140			11/6	at Notre Dame						68	5	23
								11/13	Bye								
	2-2		0-0		121			11/20	East Carolina						85	94	42
	2-2		0-0		107			11/27	at Temple						103	78	115
								12/4	Bye								

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Marshall	7-49	-66	1	1	24	76-337	4.4	5-16	61	9	23	30-101	3.4	21-33	363	1
Air Force	3-23	-157	-8	-1	6	34-36	1.1	3-10	32	5	14	59-176	3.0	3-10	49	1
Bye																
Houston	20-28	-89	-5	-1	15	52-190	3.7	4-8	98	2	20	34-120	3.5	22-31	257	2
UCF																
SMU																
at Memphis																
Cincinnati																
at Tulsa																
at Notre Dame																
Bye																
East Carolina																
at Temple																
Bye																
Average	10-33	-104.0	-4.0	-0.3	15	54-188	3.5	35.3%	64	47.1%	19	41-132	3.2	62.2%	223	5.4%
Conference	20-28	-89.0	-5.0	-1.0	15	52-190	3.7	50.0%	98	25.0%	20	34-120	3.5	71.0%	257	6.5%
Home	5-36	-111.5	-3.5	0.0	15	55-187	3.4	30.8%	47	53.8%	19	45-139	3.1	55.8%	206	4.7%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2018	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
UCF	11	-23.5	35	28	52-297	17-21-200	
Navy	-	64.5	24	20	63-374	0-2-0	0
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
UCF	20	-7.5	31	22	42-247	16-24-236	
Navy	-	65	21	19	59-248	5-14-171	-2

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing		
153 yards	UCF	Navy 199 yards
Projected Passing		
296 yards	UCF	Navy 125 yards
Projected Yardage Total		
448 yards	UCF	Navy 324 yards
Projected Final Score		
39 points	UCF	Navy 22 points
Experience Rankings		
80	UCF	Navy 102
Team Schedule Strength		
111	UCF	Navy 15

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Ucf By 16.5
Las Vegas Total	53.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Ucf By 9.5
Game Grade	Ucf By 14.9
Computer Yards	Ucf 448-324
Computer Points	Ucf 39-22
Phil Steele	Ucf by 14

Phil's Forecast:

The Midshipmen have won all six AAC home openers since they joined the conference back in '15. Under HC Niumatalolo Navy is 35-25-2 in conference play and an impressive 54-16 SU at home. Last time here ('17) UCF entered Annapolis a perfect 5-0 SU and ATS and were off a 63-21 (-35') home demolition of East Carolina. UCF led 24-21 late 4Q until Anderson 10-yd TD run, 31-21 win (-7'). Navy is 8-6-1 ATS as an HD the last 10 years. Navy opened with 398 yds at home vs Marshall but red zone struggles hurt them in a 49-7 loss. In an option vs Option matchup, they were held to 68 yds in a loss to AF. Navy then fired OC Jasper and Niumatalolo had them rehire him as QB coach. Off a bye last week Navy had major questions on offense but opened with a 76/3 play drive for 40 yd TD run by Arline. UH was SOD at Navy 15 but got a 73 yd PR TD 7-7. Navy went 62/15 for a FG and 89/11 for a TD with :45 left in H. Navy had 12-6 FD edge and led 17-7 H. UH 68/12 miss FG then 43/7, 81/7 and 26/5 (after fum) for TD's next 3 poss 28-17. 12:08 Navy 56/13 36 yd FG 6:12 but SOD own 17 2:16 in UH 28-20 win. UCF opened with a 573-283 yd edge vs Boise but lost at Louisville on a last play IR TD and also lost QB Dillon Gabriel to injury! True frosh Miley Keene (PS#90) has been named the starter and Joey Gatewood is eligible. UCF had an extra week to prepare for the option and have a defense that is allowing just 78 (3.1) rush.

UCF 34 Navy 20

USF Bulls

Bulls Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	116	129			9/4	at NC State	0-45	L	108	108	85	38	13	26
0-1	1-0	0-0	0-0	112	135		13	9/11	Florida	20-42	L	109	110	128	33	24	61
0-2		0-0		111				9/18	Florida A&M	38-17	W	116	113	116			
1-2	3-0	0-0	0-0	109	134		15	9/25	at BYU	27-35	L	116	120	116	76	88	25
1-3	4-0	0-0	0-0	113	127			10/2	at SMU			112	123	117	6	92	105
								10/9	Bye								
	1-3		0-0		122			10/16	Tulsa						35	59	124
	2-2		0-0		107			10/23	Temple						103	78	115
	2-2		0-0		121			10/30	at East Carolina						85	94	42
	3-1		1-0		122			11/6	Houston						89	56	18
	3-0		0-0		142			11/13	Cincinnati						52	7	80
	1-3		0-0		123			11/20	at Tulane						72	106	40
	2-1		0-0		128			11/26	at UCF						7	70	107

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at NC State	0-45	-254	-12	-2	15	32-104	3.3	14-33	167	0	27	40-293	7.3	17-26	232	1
Florida	20-42	-383	-6	1	20	41-95	2.3	17-30	188	1	26	44-363	8.3	17-25	303	1
Florida A&M	38-17	24	-2	0	18	46-241	5.2	12-26	163	2	20	29-132	4.6	25-49	248	1
at BYU	27-35	-76	2	0	23	48-181	3.8	17-24	186	1	21	25-138	5.5	20-25	305	0
at SMU																
Bye																
Tulsa																
Temple																
at East Carolina																
Houston																
Cincinnati																
at Tulane																
at UCF																
Average	21-35	-172.3	-4.5	-0.3	19	42-155	3.7	53.1%	176	3.5%	24	35-232	6.7	63.2%	272	2.4%
Conference	0-0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Away	14-40	-165.0	-5.0	-1.0	19	40-143	3.6	54.4%	177	1.8%	24	33-216	6.6	72.5%	269	2.0%

OVERALL: 1-3 **vs. AAC** 0-0

OVERALL: 4-0 **vs. AAC** 0-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

USF		SMU
#78	Rush Off	#16
#108	Pass Off	#14
#113	**Total Off**	**#5**
#105	Score Off	#9
#16	Sks Allowed	#1
#121	Rush Def	#59
#110	Pass Def	#120
#127	**Total Def**	**#109**
#116	Score Def	#64
#119	Sks By	#82
#125	Ypg Diff	#34
-1	**Total TO's**	**+1**

USF Bulls | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **SMU Mustangs**

Position by Position Edges

USF		SMU
	USF QB/WR vs. SMU DB's	0.54
	USF RB's vs. SMU LB's	0.97
0.07	USF OL vs. SMU DL	
	USF DL vs. SMU OL	3.04
	USF LB'S vs. SMU RB's	2.10
	USF DB's vs. SMU QB/WR	1.74
	USF ST's vs. SMU ST's	2.36
	USF K vs. SMU K	1.25
	USF Coaches vs. SMU Coaches	1.70
0.07	USF Pts vs. SMU Pts	13.70

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

SMU

By 13.64 Points

SMU Mustangs

Mustangs Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		123				9/4	Abilene Christian	56-9	W	29	84	32			
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	123	105			9/11	North Texas	35-12	W	28	85	78	56	115	46
2-0	1-1	0-0	0-0	123	113			9/18	at Louisiana Tech	39-37	W	11	85	99	111	90	93
3-0	2-0	0-0	0-0	122	137			9/25	at TCU	42-34	W	10	85	99	14	46	61
4-0	1-3	0-0	0-0	127	113			10/2	USF			6	92	105	112	123	117
	0-3		0-1		114			10/9	at Navy						128	96	127
								10/16	Bye								
	1-3		0-0		123			10/23	Tulane						72	106	40
	3-1		1-0		122			10/30	at Houston						89	56	18
	3-1		0-0		125			11/6	at Memphis						19	76	7
	2-1		0-0		128			11/13	UCF						7	70	107
	3-0		0-0		142			11/20	at Cincinnati						52	7	80
	1-3		0-0		122			11/27	Tulsa						35	59	124

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Abilene Christian	56-9	158	11	4	26	38-171	4.5	26-35	319	0	15	28-119	4.3	15-36	213	2
North Texas	35-12	31	-3	-2	20	31-225	7.3	21-33	312	0	23	41-122	3.0	34-55	384	2
at Louisiana Tech	39-37	95	5	1	31	38-183	4.8	36-50	395	0	26	30-132	4.4	24-41	351	1
at TCU	42-34	149	9	-2	29	52-350	6.7	17-28	245	0	20	30-170	5.7	18-28	276	2
USF																
at Navy																
Bye																
Tulane																
at Houston																
at Memphis																
UCF																
at Cincinnati																
Tulsa																
Average	43-23	108.3	5.5	0.3	27	40-232	5.8	68.5%	318	0.0%	21	32-136	4.2	56.9%	306	4.4%
Conference	0-0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Home	46-11	94.5	4.0	1.0	23	35-198	5.7	69.1%	316	0.0%	19	35-121	3.5	53.8%	299	4.4%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2019	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
USF	-	62	21	22	33-54	21-40-288	
SMU	-	-7.5	48	31	48-245	24-29-252	0
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
USF	-	-12.5	35	16	43-278	7-15-195	
SMU	-	73	27	28	47-155	26-42-423	-1

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Projected Box Score

USF		SMU
	Projected Rushing	
141 yards	USF	259 yards
	SMU	
	Projected Passing	
220 yards	USF	356 yards
	SMU	
	Projected Yardage Total	
361 yards	USF	616 yards
	SMU	
	Projected Final Score	
23 points	USF	47 points
	SMU	
	Experience Rankings	
78	USF	46
	SMU	
	Team Schedule Strength	
55	USF	103
	SMU	

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Smu By 21
Las Vegas Total	68 Points
+/- Ratings	Smu By 17.5
Game Grade	Smu By 25.3
Computer Yards	Smu 616-361
Computer Points	Smu 47-23
Phil Steele	Smu by 24

Phil's Forecast:

SMU has won three straight AAC openers & won their last 3 AAC home openers by a combined 10 pts! Last time these two teams met ('19), SMU was 4-0 and handled business on the road, 48-21 win (-7'). USF had won three straight in the series ('14-'16) before dropping the meeting at home in '19. SMU is 8-3 ATS the last 3 years as a HF. SMU did need a tipped Hail Mary pass to get past LTech on the road. Last week they upset TCU. TCU open 3 TD's and miss FG then punt 21-21 with SMU int in EZ on last play of half H. TCU fumble 1st play 3Q SMU 3/2 TD. TCU FG SMU 75/8 TD. Down 42-27 TCU 91/7 TD 3:59 42-34 SMU 41/9 run out clock. USF lost to NCSt 45-0, trailed Florida 35-3 at half and last week was at BYU. QB Hall out for BYU Romney and he hit 20-25-305. BYU avg 8.9 yards per play. BYU score TD's first 3 drives and led 28-6 at half with 279-153 yd edge. USF actually went 75/14, 54/6 and 94/19 for TD's on only 3 poss of 2H while BYU got TD and 70/9 but 22 yd FG block and USF only lost 35-27. SMU is off that big win over rival TCU with the Navy option on deck but have won their two home games by 35 ppg (+95 ypg). I like SMU to win big but USF basically has 3 backdoor covers this year and SMU is in a sandwich situation.

SMU 47 USF 23

Baylor Bears

Bears Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	129	112			9/4	at Texas St	29-20	W	94	38	70	100	114	79
1-0		0-0		128				9/11	Texas Southern	66-7	W	96	32	81			
2-0	1-1	0-0	0-0	128	108			9/18	at Kansas	45-7	W	70	28	60	125	114	76
3-0	2-1	1-0	0-0	132	143		14	9/25	Iowa St	31-29	W	9	31	77	38	20	93
4-0	4-0	2-0	1-0	135	132	21	19	10/2	at Oklahoma St			12	35	30	80	34	83
	2-2		0-1		132			10/9	West Virginia						87	32	13
	4-0		0-0		130			10/16	BYU						63	101	31
								10/23	Bye								
	3-1		1-0		142			10/30	Texas						5	77	59
	2-1		0-0		132			11/6	at TCU						16	71	43
	4-0		1-0		142			11/13	Oklahoma						14	8	14
	2-2		0-1		130			11/20	at Kansas St						77	51	17
	3-1		0-1		123			11/27	Texas Tech						36	65	75

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Texas St	29-20	151	2	2	22	45-238	5.3	15-24	148	0	20	27-79	2.9	20-40	156	1
Texas Southern	66-7	433	17	1	33	43-419	9.7	19-26	295	1	16	40-161	4.0	12-22	120	2
at Kansas	45-7	410	21	-1	29	45-307	6.8	19-24	269	0	8	33-109	3.3	8-18	57	0
Iowa St	31-29	-197	-12	0	15	33-118	3.6	14-19	164	2	27	40-216	5.4	22-33	263	2
at Oklahoma St																
West Virginia																
BYU																
Bye																
Texas																
at TCU																
Oklahoma																
at Kansas St																
Texas Tech																
Average	43-16	199.3	7.0	0.5	25	42-271	6.5	72.0%	219	3.2%	18	35-141	4.0	54.9%	149	4.4%
Conference	38-18	106.5	4.5	-0.5	22	39-213	5.4	76.7%	217	4.7%	18	37-163	4.5	58.8%	160	3.9%
Away	37-14	280.5	11.5	0.5	26	45-273	6.1	70.8%	209	0.0%	14	30-94	3.1	48.3%	107	1.7%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
4-0	4-0
vs. BIG 12	vs. BIG 12
2-0	1-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Baylor		Oklahoma St
#6	Rush Off	#83
#79	Pass Off	#67
#17	**Total Off**	**#83**
#11	Score Off	#89
#8	Sks Allowed	#38
#71	Rush Def	#20
#13	Pass Def	#70
#21	**Total Def**	**#36**
#18	Score Def	#43
#104	Sks By	#18
#9	Ypg Diff	#60
+2	**Total TO's**	**+1**

Baylor Bears | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Oklahoma St Cowboys**

Position by Position Edges

Baylor		Oklahoma St
	Baylor QB/WR vs. Oklahoma St DB's	0.57
1.12	Baylor RB's vs. Oklahoma St LB's	
0.29	Baylor OL vs. Oklahoma St DL	
0.31	Baylor DL vs. Oklahoma St OL	
1.09	Baylor LB'S vs. Oklahoma St RB's	
1.77	Baylor DB's vs. Oklahoma St QB/WR	
3.28	Baylor ST's vs. Oklahoma St ST's	
	Baylor K vs. Oklahoma St K	2.95
	Baylor Coaches vs. Oklahoma St Coaches	2.20
7.86	Baylor Pts vs. Oklahoma St Pts	5.72

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Baylor

By 2.14 Points

Oklahoma St Cowboys

Cowboys Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		132				9/4	Missouri St	23-16	W	45	36	71			
1-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	128	124			9/11	Tulsa	28-23	W	53	41	68	44	51	74
2-0	1-1	0-0	0-0	128	129			9/18	at Boise St	21-20	W	67	48	31	62	66	3
3-0	2-1	0-0	0-0	130	132		25	9/25	Kansas St	31-20	W	86	40	63	58	48	28
4-0	4-0	1-0	2-0	132	135	19	21	10/2	Baylor			80	34	83	12	35	30
								10/9	Bye								
	3-1		1-0		142			10/16	at Texas						5	77	59
	2-2		0-1		140			10/23	at Iowa St						42	25	118
	1-3		0-1		105			10/30	Kansas						121	127	81
	2-2		0-1		132			11/6	at West Virginia						87	32	13
	2-1		0-0		132			11/13	TCU						16	71	43
	3-1		0-1		123			11/20	at Texas Tech						36	65	75
	4-0		1-0		142			11/27	Oklahoma						14	8	14

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Missouri St	23-16	33	-7	-1	16	28-54	1.9	22-40	315	1	23	37-102	2.8	24-46	234	5
Tulsa	28-23	-34	1	-1	19	43-140	3.3	15-26	173	2	18	39-123	3.2	19-27	224	2
at Boise St	21-20	25	-4	1	15	57-246	4.3	6-13	82	2	19	35-61	1.7	22-35	242	4
Kansas St	31-20	221	12	2	25	43-137	3.2	22-34	344	1	13	25-62	2.5	14-31	198	2
Baylor																
Bye																
at Texas																
at Iowa St																
Kansas																
at West Virginia																
TCU																
at Texas Tech																
Oklahoma																
Average	26-20	61.3	0.5	0.3	19	43-144	3.4	57.5%	229	5.3%	18	34-87	2.6	56.8%	225	9.4%
Conference	31-20	221.0	12.0	2.0	25	43-137	3.2	64.7%	344	2.9%	13	25-62	2.5	45.2%	198	6.5%
Home	27-20	73.3	2.0	0.0	20	38-110	2.9	59.0%	277	4.0%	18	34-96	2.8	54.8%	219	8.7%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Baylor	-	49	3	12	31-70	18-34-86	
Oklahoma St	-	-5.5	42	27	47-261	20-30-347	-2
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Baylor	18	68.5	45	18	37-224	13-17-312	
Oklahoma St	-	-4	27	27	50-281	22-36-188	-2
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Baylor	-	68.5	35	26	39-244	14-26-158	
Oklahoma St	-	-6.5	31	32	47-212	25-42-311	0
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Baylor	-	67	16	22	46-219	14-36-168	
Oklahoma St	14	-26.5	59	29	38-276	20-33-471	1
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Baylor	16	-7.5	35	20	37-136	18-28-387	
Oklahoma St	-	73.5	24	30	55-213	27-46-279	-2

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Projected Box Score

	Projected Rushing		
140 yards	Baylor	Oklahoma St	187 yards
	Projected Passing		
189 yards	Baylor	Oklahoma St	193 yards
	Projected Yardage Total		
329 yards	Baylor	Oklahoma St	380 yards
	Projected Final Score		
23 points	Baylor	Oklahoma St	26 points
	Experience Rankings		
62	Baylor	Oklahoma St	66
	Team Schedule Strength		
117	Baylor	Oklahoma St	54

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Oklahoma St By 3.5
Las Vegas Total	47.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Oklahoma St By 1.5
Game Grade	Oklahoma St By 1.3
Computer Yards	Oklahoma St 380-329
Computer Points	Oklahoma St 26-23
Phil Steele	Oklahoma St by 1

Phil's Forecast:

After going 1-14 SU (2-11-2 ATS) vs OSU from '97-'11 the Bears are 6-3 SU (5-4 ATS) since '12. Last time here ('19) Baylor trailed 27-24 4Q before scoring 21 straight points including a fumble recovery for TD to comeback & win 45-27. Last year Baylor had 47 people (players, coaches support staff) unavailable for game and RB coach Johnson was only full time off asst and called plays for first time. Baylor had facilities shut down 2 days during week. OSU WR Stoner (8-247) had 3 1H TD's (incl 75 yd td). OSU led 28-0 H and won 42-3 with 608-156 yd edge. OSU opened 3-0 this year but were only +8 ypg. Their offense was avg 134 ypg BELOW what their opp's normally allow! Last week after 5 straight games of 200+ rush KSU had 62 yds rush. Will Howard was just 4-12-50. KST went 68/13 to open but settle 32 yd FG. OSU 75/7 TD, KST 99 yd KR TD 10-7. OSU 73/7 TD then Howard fumble into EZ and OSU fall on it for TD 21-10, 31-13 H. OSU miss 48 yd FG. 2H feature 10 3&outs. KSt pull to 31-20 on 55 yd TD pass Vaughn but 3&out last 3 poss. Baylor opened 3-0 vs a much softer schedule (#117 vs #54) but were +331 ypg and their defense was holding foes to 162 ypg below their season avg. Last week Iowa St was #1 FBS allowing just 194 ypg but Baylor scored TD's on first 3 poss. Iowa St had 2 TD drives but just 9 pts on 5 other trips inside Baylor 30. ST's were huge with a KR TD, 41 yd PR (both by Ebner) that set up FG and a partial blk punt set up Bay's 2nd TD with P Power 4-54.5. Baylor led 21-10, 21-13 H. Down 31-23 IST 75/13 for TD :24 but bobble snap from center on 2 pt and NG. Baylor is playing to an AGG of 105.4 and OSU is at 101.7. This is a key 4-0 vs 4-0 battle in the Big 12 and could unearth a surprise contender for the title.

Oklahoma St 24 Baylor 23

Arkansas Razorbacks

Razorbacks Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	127	117			9/4	Rice	38-17	W	52	31	111	123	105	81
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	128	140		15	9/11	Texas	40-21	W	52	25	84	19	33	54
2-0	1-1	0-0	0-0	133	111	20		9/18	GA Southern	45-10	W	45	26	46	106	92	57
3-0	3-0	0-0	0-0	135	140	16	7	9/25	† Texas A&M	20-10	W	19	22	47	28	2	27
4-0	4-0	1-0	2-0	138	154	8	2	10/2	at Georgia			18	12	54	10	1	49
	3-0		0-0		145			10/9	at Mississippi						2	38	68
	3-1		0-0		133			10/16	Auburn						4	43	8
								10/23	Ark Pine Bluff								
	2-2		0-1		130			10/30	Miss St						47	14	111
	3-1		1-0		138			11/6	at LSU						55	18	25
	4-0		1-0		154			11/13	at Alabama						9	11	1
	2-2		0-1		124			11/20	Missouri						20	81	15

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Rice	38-17	65	-1	2	18	44-245	5.6	12-21	128	2	19	39-81	2.1	17-35	227	2
Texas	40-21	215	6	1	21	47-333	7.1	14-19	138	0	15	41-138	3.4	13-23	118	3
GA Southern	45-10	400	16	0	27	48-269	5.6	14-25	364	0	11	35-152	4.3	13-28	81	2
† Texas A&M	20-10	171	5	1	20	49-197	4.0	9-19	246	2	15	23-121	5.3	20-36	151	3
at Georgia																
at Mississippi																
Auburn																
Ark Pine Bluff																
Miss St																
at LSU																
at Alabama																
Missouri																
Average	36-15	212.8	6.5	1.0	22	47-261	5.6	58.3%	219	4.8%	15	35-123	3.6	51.6%	144	8.2%
Conference	20-10	171.0	5.0	1.0	20	49-197	4.0	47.4%	246	10.5%	15	23-121	5.3	55.6%	151	8.3%
Away	20-10	171.0	5.0	1.0	20	49-197	4.0	47.4%	246	10.5%	15	23-121	5.3	55.6%	151	8.3%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
4-0	4-0
vs. SEC	vs. SEC
1-0	2-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Arkansas		Georgia
#8	Rush Off	#51
#79	Pass Off	#34
#21	**Total Off**	**#33**
#35	Score Off	#12
#16	Sks Allowed	#6
#47	Rush Def	#7
#8	Pass Def	#2
#11	**Total Def**	**#1**
#11	Score Def	#1
#45	Sks By	#9
#5	Ypg Diff	#2
+4	**Total TO's**	**+2**

Arkansas Razorbacks | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Georgia Bulldogs**

Position by Position Edges

Arkansas		Georgia
	Arkansas QB/WR vs. Georgia DB's	2.42
	Arkansas RB's vs. Georgia LB's	1.67
	Arkansas OL vs. Georgia DL	1.49
	Arkansas DL vs. Georgia OL	0.39
0.44	Arkansas LB'S vs. Georgia RB's	
1.00	Arkansas DB's vs. Georgia QB/WR	
	Arkansas ST's vs. Georgia ST's	2.75
	Arkansas K vs. Georgia K	3.05
	Arkansas Coaches vs. Georgia Coaches	2.05
1.44	Arkansas Pts vs. Georgia Pts	13.82

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Georgia

By 12.37 Points

Georgia Bulldogs

Bulldogs Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	145	146	5	3	9/4	† Clemson	10-3	W	3	4	2	6	2	67
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	147	126	2		9/11	UAB	56-7	W	3	3	42	67	31	17
2-0	2-0	0-0	0-0	151	120	2		9/18	South Carolina	40-13	W	5	1	53	43	58	26
3-0	1-2	1-0	0-0	150	111	2		9/25	at Vanderbilt	62-0	W	11	1	51	107	109	91
4-0	4-0	2-0	1-0	154	138	2	8	10/2	Arkansas			10	1	49	18	12	54
	3-1		0-0		133			10/9	at Auburn						4	43	8
	4-0		2-0		125			10/16	Kentucky						31	29	77
								10/23	Bye								
	3-1		1-1		138			10/30	† Florida						3	17	74
	2-2		0-1		124			11/6	Missouri						20	81	15
	2-2		0-1		121			11/13	at Tennessee						39	48	10
								11/20	Charleston Southern								
	2-2		1-1		128			11/27	at Georgia Tech						58	66	112

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
† Clemson	10-3	76	1	-1	15	31-121	3.9	22-30	135	1	14	23-2	0.1	19-37	178	7
UAB	56-7	365	12	2	23	38-163	4.3	14-22	376	0	11	36-127	3.5	8-17	47	3
South Carolina	40-13	181	13	-1	26	31-184	5.9	24-35	307	1	13	34-96	2.8	14-29	214	3
at Vanderbilt	62-0	455	24	2	28	48-241	5.0	21-28	291	0	4	28-53	1.9	5-18	24	1
Arkansas																
at Auburn																
Kentucky																
Bye																
† Florida																
Missouri																
at Tennessee																
Charleston Southern																
at Georgia Tech																
Average	42-6	269.3	12.5	0.5	23	37-177	4.8	70.4%	277	1.7%	11	30-70	2.3	45.5%	116	13.9%
Conference	51-7	318.0	18.5	0.5	27	40-213	5.4	71.4%	299	1.6%	9	31-75	2.4	40.4%	119	8.5%
Home	48-10	273.0	12.5	0.5	25	35-174	5.0	66.7%	342	1.8%	12	35-112	3.2	47.8%	131	13.0%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Arkansas	-	53	10	15	28-77	20-39-203	
Georgia	4	-28	37	19	42-121	28-47-266	1

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing		
137 yards	Arkansas	Georgia 174 yards
Projected Passing		
111 yards	Arkansas	Georgia 275 yards
Projected Yardage Total		
248 yards	Arkansas	Georgia 449 yards
Projected Final Score		
15 points	Arkansas	Georgia 37 points
Experience Rankings		
76	Arkansas	Georgia 110
Team Schedule Strength		
17	Arkansas	Georgia 10

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Georgia By 18.5
Las Vegas Total	48.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Georgia By 21.3
Game Grade	Georgia By 17.3
Computer Yards	Georgia 449-248
Computer Points	Georgia 37-15
Phil Steele	Georgia by 14

Phil's Forecast:

Last time here was way back in 2010 #12 Arkansas was +2 against unranked UGA. Hogs got GW 40 yd TD pass with :15 left to win 31-24. Ark has lost 10 of their last 11 against SEC East foes but only win came last year against Tenn. UGA holds 11-4 series lead and has won 8 of the last 9, though Arkansas has covered 4 of the last 6. Last year Georgia was -28 in the opener. Arkansas got a 49 yd TD pass and led 7-2 until a Georgia FG at :00 made it 7-5 at half. Down 10-5 Georgia fumbled then went 57/6, 24/4 and 81/13 on its first four 2H drives behind backup QB Bennett and also had a 30 yd IR TD to pull away 37-10. Pittman is 4-1 ATS as an AD and Smart is 11-16 ATS as a HF. Georgia is #1 in my AGG playing to a 130.9 AGG. Last week the crowd was a sea of red and the Bulldogs completely dominated 35-0 after 1Q and QB Daniels was pulled after 1Q! Vandy went 3&out 9 times and Georgia had 524-77 yd edge. Georgia was even SOD at the 3 in 2Q in 62-0 shutout win. Arkansas beat Texas 40-21 with a 471-256 yd edge and last week vs a powerful Texas A&M. Arkansas dominated early with 229 yds passing at half vs an A&M team allowing 77 ypg passing. They got a 85 yd TD pass to Burks then 48 yd TD pass to Green when LB pushed him towards EZ at 20 instead of tackling him. Ark was SOD on 4&1 2:29 and A&M 46/9 for 49 yd FG :00 17-3. Spiller 67 yd TD run 7:51 3Q 17-10. A&M int'd & Ark FG 8:39. A&M last 2 drives punt and SOD. Ark 443-273 yds. Arkansas is playing to an AGG of 118.8 which is #3 in the country! Pittman was a long time assistant at Georgia just 2 years ago and Hogs are 4-0 ATS this year.

Georgia 31 Arkansas 17

Ohio Bobcats

Bobcats Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	123	121			9/4	Syracuse	9-29	L	88	110	54	84	68	18
0-1		0-0		118				9/11	Duquesne	26-28	L	91	113	102			
0-2	1-1	0-0	0-0	113	125			9/18	at Louisiana	14-49	L	102	120	79	74	49	2
0-3	1-2	0-0	0-1	109	121			9/25	at Northwestern	6-35	L	105	123	72	79	82	84
0-4	1-3	0-0	0-0	107	95			10/2	at Akron			106	125	84	123	129	129
	2-2		0-0		115			10/9	Central Michigan						54	105	71
	2-2		0-0		115			10/16	at Buffalo						94	108	100
	1-3		0-0		121			10/23	Kent St						66	107	120
	1-3		0-0		116			11/2	Miami, OH						110	116	66
	3-1		0-0		122			11/9	at Eastern Michigan						97	110	103
	2-2		1-0		121			11/16	Toledo						95	52	51
								11/20	Bye								
	2-2		0-0		97			11/26	at Bowling Green						127	85	24

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Syracuse	9-29	-37	-1	-1	20	32-134	4.2	23-31	212	0	21	44-283	6.4	12-18	100	1
Duquesne	26-28	-55	-11	0	15	24-139	5.8	14-22	168	1	26	45-168	3.7	23-34	194	1
at Louisiana	14-49	-312	-17	0	16	28-112	4.0	14-27	138	1	33	49-310	6.3	25-34	252	1
at Northwestern	6-35	-113	-5	-2	17	31-179	5.8	21-32	169	4	22	51-373	7.3	12-20	88	0
at Akron																
Central Michigan																
at Buffalo																
Kent St																
Miami, OH																
at Eastern Michigan																
Toledo																
Bye																
at Bowling Green																
Average	14-35	-129.3	-8.5	-0.8	17	29-141	4.9	64.3%	172	5.4%	26	47-284	6.0	67.9%	159	2.8%
Conference	0-0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Away	10-42	-212.5	-11.0	-1.0	17	30-146	4.9	59.3%	154	8.5%	28	50-342	6.8	68.5%	170	1.9%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
0-4	1-3
vs. MAC	vs. MAC
0-0	0-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Ohio		Akron
#85	Rush Off	#92
#112	Pass Off	#87
#118	**Total Off**	**#106**
#126	Score Off	#111
#38	Sks Allowed	#128
#129	Rush Def	#106
#16	Pass Def	#104
#110	**Total Def**	**#113**
#117	Score Def	#128
#119	Sks By	#104
#121	Ypg Diff	#117
-3	**Total TO's**	**-3**

Ohio Bobcats | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Akron Zips**

Position by Position Edges

Ohio		Akron
1.34	Ohio QB/WR vs. Akron DB's	
0.57	Ohio RB's vs. Akron LB's	
1.23	Ohio OL vs. Akron DL	
	Ohio DL vs. Akron OL	0.39
0.98	Ohio LB'S vs. Akron RB's	
	Ohio DB's vs. Akron QB/WR	0.25
4.83	Ohio ST's vs. Akron ST's	
2.45	Ohio K vs. Akron K	
2.00	Ohio Coaches vs. Akron Coaches	
13.39	Ohio Pts vs. Akron Pts	0.64

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Ohio

By 12.75 Points

Akron Zips

Zips Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	99	132			9/4	at Auburn	10-60	L	124	125	123	22	18	25
0-1	0-1	0-0	0-0	96	108			9/11	Temple	24-45	L	128	125	64	110	111	122
0-2		0-0		94				9/18	Bryant	35-14	W	128	128	62			
1-2	2-1	0-0	1-0	95	141		10	9/25	at Ohio St	7-59	L	121	128	114	1	28	35
1-3	0-4	0-0	0-0	95	107			10/2	Ohio			123	129	129	106	125	84
	2-2		0-0		97			10/9	at Bowling Green						127	85	24
	1-3		0-0		116			10/16	at Miami, OH						110	116	66
	2-2		0-0		115			10/23	Buffalo						94	108	100
	1-3		0-1		116			11/2	Ball St						122	109	45
	3-1		0-0		123			11/9	at Western Michigan						86	80	122
								11/13	Bye								
	1-3		0-0		121			11/20	Kent St						66	107	120
	2-2		1-0		121			11/27	at Toledo						95	52	51

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Auburn	10-60	-425	-16	0	12	36--3	-0.1	22-27	191	6	28	32-316	9.9	22-27	297	0
Temple	24-45	-60	7	-2	26	43-171	4.0	19-34	191	3	19	34-177	5.2	19-23	245	0
Bryant	35-14	432	10	0	24	37-282	7.6	19-23	296	2	14	31-29	0.9	17-25	117	3
at Ohio St	7-59	-393	-9	-1	17	40-76	1.9	18-34	153	9	26	35-237	6.8	18-26	385	2
Ohio																
at Bowling Green																
at Miami, OH																
Buffalo																
Ball St																
at Western Michigan																
Bye																
Kent St																
at Toledo																
Average	19-45	-111.5	-2.0	-0.8	20	39-132	3.4	66.1%	208	16.9%	22	33-190	5.8	75.2%	261	5.0%
Conference	0-0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Home	30-30	186.0	8.5	-1.0	25	40-227	5.7	66.7%	244	8.8%	17	33-103	3.2	75.0%	181	6.3%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Ohio	-	-27.5	24	15	33-185	10-17-122	
Akron	-	57	10	20	42-217	18-30-218	-3
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Ohio	-	-28	52	25	46-251	22-31-352	
Akron	-	53.5	3	7	25-41	4-27-33	0
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Ohio	-	-24	49	25	51-381	5-14-87	
Akron	-	56.5	28	23	21-32	24-41-356	0
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Ohio	-	-12.5	34	23	43-282	10-23-113	
Akron	-	51.5	37	18	32-121	22-38-322	3
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Ohio	-	-10.5	9	17	36-130	14-25-169	
Akron	-	54	3	14	32-95	12-27-131	1

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Projected Box Score

Ohio		Akron
	Projected Rushing	
176 yards	Ohio	226 yards
	Projected Passing	
190 yards	Ohio	184 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
366 yards	Ohio	410 yards
	Projected Final Score	
32 points	Ohio	28 points
	Experience Rankings	
42	Ohio	57
	Team Schedule Strength	
84	Ohio	79

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Ohio By 9.5
Las Vegas Total	55 Points
+/- Ratings	Ohio By 9.5
Game Grade	Akron By 1.0
Computer Yards	Akron 410-366
Computer Points	Ohio 32-28
Phil Steele	Ohio by 7

Phil's Forecast:

While the Zips have lost 5 of their last 6 vs the Bobcats, they are 5-1 ATS in those meetings. Since winning their last two regular season MAC games in '17, Akron is just 3-20 SU & 6-17 ATS in MAC play. Ohio leads the series 23-13-1 and has won 12 of the last 13 meetings with 7 of their 12 wins coming by double digits. Last time here Ohio only led 7-3 mid-1Q before scoring the game's final 45 pts (-28, 52-3). Last year Akron actually had a 229-167 yard-edge at half with QB Gibson throwing for 218 and RB Dollard rushing for 165. Ohio led 14-7 at half and up 21-14 went 70/9 for a TD with 2:02 left to clinch it 28-14 (-27'). Ohio lost HC Solich over the summer and had a disastrous 0-3 SU and ATS start playing to an AGG of just 74.9. Last week they Ohio had 3 TO's all inside the 50 and gave up a 90 yd TD run. NW led 17-0 at half. OU first drive 61/13 ended 32 yd FG Miss. Down 20-0 OU SOD own 32 and NW 32/6 TD 6:00 left then after int 33/6 TD :32. 35-0. OU QB Rogers 55 yd run on final play game to avert shutout. Akron at least won a game vs FCS Bryant and covered 35-14 and last week Akron took 2nd drive 55/9 for TD to lead 7-0. OSU started McCord at QB with Stroud injured. OSU 4 straight TD's then pass bobble Akron WR and 46 yd IR TD, 38-7 H. Down 52-7 Akron 59/13 miss 43 yd FG 6:59 and OSU 75/10 TD 2:47 left 59-7 for cover (-48'). My AGG calls it even but Ohio is desperate for a win and Tom Arth is 0-9 ATS as a HD!

Ohio 35 Akron 28

Tennessee Volunteers

Volunteers Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	120	84			9/4	Bowling Green	38-6	W	79	65	33	126	128	115
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	119	127			9/11	Pittsburgh	34-41	L	73	65	19	38	14	21
1-1		0-0		119				9/18	Tennessee Tech	56-0	W	72	60	7			
2-1	2-1	0-0	0-1	121	138		11	9/25	at Florida	14-38	L	44	35	7	8	14	88
2-2	2-2	0-1	0-1	121	124			10/2	at Missouri			39	48	10	20	81	15
	2-2		0-2		118			10/9	South Carolina						78	40	47
	3-0		0-0		145			10/16	Mississippi						2	38	68
	4-0		1-0		154			10/23	at Alabama						9	11	1
								10/30	at Bye								
	4-0		2-0		125			11/6	at Kentucky						31	29	77
	4-0		2-0		154			11/13	Georgia						10	1	49
	3-0		0-0		105			11/20	South Alabama						102	74	72
	1-3		0-1		107			11/27	Vanderbilt						119	111	102

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Bowling Green	38-6	256	20	-2	31	64-331	5.2	12-24	144	3	11	23-32	1.4	25-38	187	2
Pittsburgh	34-41	-23	-4	-3	20	33-136	4.1	22-33	238	5	24	45-96	2.1	25-37	301	2
Tennessee Tech	56-0	238	14	3	24	47-202	4.3	20-32	215	1	10	28-35	1.3	17-36	144	4
at Florida	14-38	-82	-5	1	20	37-148	4.0	15-31	275	3	25	40-283	7.1	22-28	222	1
at Missouri																
South Carolina																
Mississippi																
at Alabama																
at Bye																
at Kentucky																
Georgia																
South Alabama																
Vanderbilt																
Average	36-21	97.3	6.3	-0.3	24	45-204	4.5	57.5%	218	10.0%	18	34-112	3.3	64.0%	214	6.5%
Conference	14-38	-82.0	-5.0	1.0	20	37-148	4.0	48.4%	275	9.7%	25	40-283	7.1	78.6%	222	3.6%
Away	14-38	-82.0	-5.0	1.0	20	37-148	4.0	48.4%	275	9.7%	25	40-283	7.1	78.6%	222	3.6%

OVERALL: 2-2 **vs. SEC** 0-1

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Tennessee		Missouri
#29	Rush Off	#69
#81	Pass Off	#12
#54	**Total Off**	**#20**
#37	Score Off	#20
#106	Sks Allowed	#8
#37	Rush Def	#128
#60	Pass Def	#32
#44	**Total Def**	**#114**
#53	Score Def	#107
#58	Sks By	#18
#41	Ypg Diff	#73
-1	**Total TO's**	**+3**

Tennessee Volunteers | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Missouri Tigers**

Position by Position Edges

Tennessee		Missouri
	Tennessee QB/WR vs. Missouri DB's	0.89
0.51	Tennessee RB's vs. Missouri LB's	
1.47	Tennessee OL vs. Missouri DL	
0.71	Tennessee DL vs. Missouri OL	
	Tennessee LB'S vs. Missouri RB's	0.57
	Tennessee DB's vs. Missouri QB/WR	0.31
2.20	Tennessee ST's vs. Missouri ST's	
1.50	Tennessee K vs. Missouri K	
	Tennessee Coaches vs. Missouri Coaches	0.60
6.39	Tennessee Pts vs. Missouri Pts	2.38

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Tennessee

By 4.01 Points

Missouri Tigers

Tigers Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	124	116			9/4	Central Michigan	34-24	W	75	74	30	77	89	42
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	124	125			9/11	at Kentucky	28-35	L	59	63	16	41	39	23
1-1		0-1		124				9/18	SE Missouri St	59-28	W	47	63	29			
2-1	3-0	0-1	0-0	124	127			9/25	at Boston College	34-41	L	20	80	16	36	75	13
2-2	2-2	0-1	0-1	124	121			10/2	Tennessee			20	81	15	39	48	10
	1-3		0-2		102			10/9	North Texas						83	113	61
	3-1		0-1		137			10/16	Texas A&M						43	3	21
								10/23	Bye								
	1-3		0-1		107			10/30	at Vanderbilt						119	111	102
	4-0		2-0		154			11/6	at Georgia						10	1	49
	2-2		0-2		118			11/13	South Carolina						78	40	47
	3-1		1-1		138			11/20	Florida						3	17	74
	4-0		1-0		138			11/27	at Arkansas						18	12	54

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Central Michigan	34-24	-7	-1	2	26	36-211	5.9	21-32	257	2	27	39-174	4.5	24-47	301	9
at Kentucky	28-35	-113	-1	1	25	24-104	4.3	34-52	294	1	26	52-332	6.4	10-18	179	2
SE Missouri St	59-28	302	7	1	26	34-235	6.9	28-38	440	0	19	36-294	8.2	8-15	79	1
at Boston College	34-41	-59	-1	-1	22	23-88	3.8	30-42	303	0	23	49-275	5.6	18-29	175	1
Tennessee																
North Texas																
Texas A&M																
Bye																
at Vanderbilt																
at Georgia																
South Carolina																
Florida																
at Arkansas																
Average	39-32	30.8	1.0	0.8	25	29-160	5.5	68.9%	324	1.8%	24	44-269	6.1	55.0%	184	11.9%
Conference	28-35	-113.0	-1.0	1.0	25	24-104	4.3	65.4%	294	1.9%	26	52-332	6.4	55.6%	179	11.1%
Home	47-26	147.5	3.0	1.5	26	35-223	6.4	70.0%	349	2.9%	23	38-234	6.2	51.6%	190	16.1%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Tennessee	21	-11.5	35	26	51-232	14-23-190	
Missouri	-	48.5	12	15	37-126	14-25-218	-1
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Tennessee	-	45.5	24	26	32-111	23-41-415	
Missouri	-	-4	20	16	37-99	17-29-181	1
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Tennessee	-	57	17	11	28-82	7-21-173	
Missouri	-	-6.5	50	29	49-227	21-30-257	2
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Tennessee	-	61.5	17	16	36-146	16-32-139	
Missouri	-	-11.5	50	29	53-433	14-30-226	3
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Tennessee	-	-17	63	24	45-386	15-22-223	
Missouri	-	68	37	41	67-420	21-43-320	-4

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing

Tennessee		Missouri
235 yards	Tennessee	138 yards

Projected Passing

Tennessee		Missouri
176 yards	Tennessee	310 yards

Projected Yardage Total

Tennessee		Missouri
410 yards	Tennessee	448 yards

Projected Final Score

Tennessee		Missouri
30 points	Tennessee	37 points

Experience Rankings

Tennessee		Missouri
125	Tennessee	92

Team Schedule Strength

Tennessee		Missouri
100	Tennessee	78

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Missouri By 3
Las Vegas Total	65 Points
+/- Ratings	Missouri By 7.0
Game Grade	Tennessee By 0.7
Computer Yards	Missouri 448-410
Computer Points	Missouri 37-30
Phil Steele	Missouri by 1

Phil's Forecast:

Mizzou won 5 of the first 6 meetings vs the Vols but have lost the last two. The favorite has covered 5 of the last 6 meetings. The Tigers are 3-6 SU but 6-3 ATS in SEC home openers. Tenn has won 2 of the last 3 in Columbia. Last time here QB Guarantano threw for career high 415 yds but Vols only won 24-20 (+4) despite 526-280 yard edge. It was the 4th straight win for Vols made them bowl eligible. Last year Missouri stacked the box, but UT was bent on running even into bad looks and rushed for 232 (4.5) as UT led 21-6 at half and won 35-12. (-11') at home. Missouri is 16-5 SU at home the last 4 years and Tennessee is 11-33 SU on the road the last 11 years and was just in the Swamp last week. Tenn opened 2-1 with a close loss to Pitt and were playing at a 97.3 AGG. Last week UF was off a big effort vs Alabama and UT had 47 & 75 yd TD passes in 1H and led 14-10. UF led 17-10 at half after UT Miss FG but UT had 261-213 yd edge. UF open 3Q with 78/6 TD but drops hurt UT. The biggest one came on fourth-and-5 Calloway dropped a perfect pass with plenty of open field in front of him. Florida scored eight plays later to start to make is 31-14. UF went 80/12 for TD 1:45 left and front door cover 38-14 (-19). UT went 65/9 to 10 but :00. Missouri opened 2-1 with a road loss to Kentucky. Last week I used a Best Bet on these pages on Boston College and BC had a 275-88 rush edge and led 27-17 but Missouri got a 56 yd FG at :00 to force OT but BC still won 41-34. Mizzou is only playing to an AGG of 96.6 (Tenn 102.0). Missouri off is +148 above what opp allow and Tenn is +129 so there should be points scored. Missouri has lost 7 in a row ATS overall.

Missouri 35 Tennessee 34

Texas Longhorns

Longhorns Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	139	128	21	23	9/4	Louisiana	38-18	W	15	34	6	47	33	7
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	140	128	15		9/11	at Arkansas	21-40	L	19	33	54	52	25	84
1-1	0-2	0-0	0-0	135	111			9/18	Rice	58-0	W	30	45	97	121	106	123
2-1	3-0	0-0	0-0	139	126			9/25	Texas Tech	70-35	W	17	70	65	30	32	60
3-1	2-1	1-0	0-0	142	132			10/2	at TCU			5	77	59	16	71	43
								10/9	Bye								
	4-0		1-0		142			10/16	† Oklahoma						14	8	14
	4-0		1-0		132			10/23	Oklahoma St						80	34	83
	4-0		2-0		135			10/30	at Baylor						12	35	30
	2-2		0-1		140			11/6	at Iowa St						42	25	118
	1-3		0-1		105			11/13	Kansas						121	127	81
	2-2		0-1		132			11/20	at West Virginia						87	32	13
	2-2		0-1		130			11/27	Kansas St						77	51	17

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Louisiana	38-18	77	-1	1	21	42-170	4.0	18-26	265	3	22	29-76	2.6	28-40	282	4
at Arkansas	21-40	-215	-6	-1	15	41-138	3.4	13-23	118	3	21	47-333	7.1	14-19	138	0
Rice	58-0	336	12	0	26	41-427	10.4	17-21	193	0	14	32-156	4.9	19-24	128	3
Texas Tech	70-35	119	7	1	27	52-336	6.5	18-23	303	1	20	33-128	3.9	26-34	392	2
at TCU																
Bye																
† Oklahoma																
Oklahoma St																
at Baylor																
at Iowa St																
Kansas																
at West Virginia																
Kansas St																
Average	47-23	79.3	3.0	0.3	22	44-268	6.1	71.0%	220	7.5%	19	35-173	4.9	74.4%	235	7.7%
Conference	70-35	119.0	7.0	1.0	27	52-336	6.5	78.3%	303	4.3%	20	33-128	3.9	76.5%	392	5.9%
Away	21-40	-215.0	-6.0	-1.0	15	41-138	3.4	56.5%	118	13.0%	21	47-333	7.1	73.7%	138	0.0%

OVERALL: 3-1 | **vs. BIG 12** 1-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Texas		TCU
#7	Rush Off	#30
#76	Pass Off	#50
#18	**Total Off**	**#29**
#3	Score Off	#28
#51	Sks Allowed	#23
#92	Rush Def	#100
#79	Pass Def	#54
#87	**Total Def**	**#79**
#66	Score Def	#78
#58	Sks By	#119
#52	Ypg Diff	#58
+1	**Total TO's**	**+2**

Texas Longhorns | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **TCU Horned Frogs**

Position by Position Edges

Texas		TCU
	Texas QB/WR vs. TCU DB's	0.11
1.82	Texas RB's vs. TCU LB's	
1.65	Texas OL vs. TCU DL	
	Texas DL vs. TCU OL	0.81
	Texas LB'S vs. TCU RB's	0.68
	Texas DB's vs. TCU QB/WR	1.00
	Texas ST's vs. TCU ST's	1.05
	Texas K vs. TCU K	0.20
	Texas Coaches vs. TCU Coaches	2.15
3.47	Texas Pts vs. TCU Pts	6.00

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

TCU

By 2.53 Points

TCU Horned Frogs

Horned Frogs Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		139				9/4	Duquesne	45-3	W	17	11	15			
1-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	139	126			9/11	California	34-32	W	16	9	6	87	43	126
2-0		0-0		137				9/18	Bye			15	16	50			
2-0	3-0	0-0	0-0	137	122			9/25	SMU	34-42	L	14	46	61	10	85	99
2-1	3-1	0-0	1-0	132	142			10/2	Texas			16	71	43	5	77	59
	3-1		0-1		123			10/9	at Texas Tech						36	65	75
	4-0		1-0		142			10/16	at Oklahoma						14	8	14
	2-2		0-1		132			10/23	West Virginia						87	32	13
	2-2		0-1		130			10/30	at Kansas St						77	51	17
	4-0		2-0		135			11/6	Baylor						12	35	30
	4-0		1-0		132			11/13	at Oklahoma St						80	34	83
	1-3		0-1		105			11/20	Kansas						121	127	81
	2-2		0-1		140			11/27	at Iowa St						42	25	118

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Duquesne	45-3	294	20	1	26	38-178	4.7	18-24	253	0	6	29-61	2.1	3-12	76	1
California	34-32	56	15	-1	31	50-264	5.3	17-31	234	3	16	27-133	4.9	16-27	309	2
Bye																
SMU	34-42	-149	-9	2	20	30-170	5.7	16-28	276	2	29	52-350	6.7	17-28	245	0
Texas																
at Texas Tech																
at Oklahoma																
West Virginia																
at Kansas St																
Baylor																
at Oklahoma St																
Kansas																
at Iowa St																
Average	38-26	67.0	8.7	0.7	26	39-204	5.2	61.4%	254	6.0%	17	36-181	5.0	53.7%	210	4.5%
Conference	0-0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Home	38-26	67.0	8.7	0.7	26	39-204	5.2	61.4%	254	6.0%	17	36-181	5.0	53.7%	210	4.5%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
2020							
Texas	9	-10.5	31	16	24-152	17-36-236	
TCU	-	62.5	33	25	51-227	20-30-231	1
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Texas	15	-1	27	21	31-126	22-48-321	
TCU	-	57	37	22	41-162	19-27-273	2
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Texas	-	48	31	20	45-112	22-32-255	
TCU	17	-3	16	16	32-141	20-40-231	-4
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Texas	-	46.5	7	14	26-9	21-44-254	
TCU	10	-7	24	17	46-177	19-27-166	0
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Texas	-	-3	9	19	46-189	16-39-218	
TCU	-	60.5	31	25	46-309	16-30-178	0

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Projected Box Score

	Projected Rushing	
258 yards	Texas TCU	206 yards
	Projected Passing	
209 yards	Texas TCU	259 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
467 yards	Texas TCU	464 yards
	Projected Final Score	
42 points	Texas TCU	34 points
	Experience Rankings	
109	Texas TCU	47
	Team Schedule Strength	
21	Texas TCU	102

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Texas By 4.5
Las Vegas Total	65.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Texas By 5.8
Game Grade	Texas By 9.3
Computer Yards	Texas 467-464
Computer Points	Texas 42-34
Phil Steele	Texas by 3

Phil's Forecast:

TCU is now 7-2 SU/ATS vs Texas since joining the B12. Horned Frogs were an underdog last year for only the 3rd time in the last 8 meetings. QB Duggan's TD with 4:01 left would lift TCU to the 33-31 upset. TCU led 20-14 at half with a 15-7 FD edge and 23-14 after open drive 3Q. Texas took first lead with 9:56 left 29-26. TCU got TD 4:01 left 33-29 and Van Zandt tackle Ingram from behind on 52 yd run. 18&G 1 Texas fumble 2:32. TCU FD then int'l safety on last play. Last time here ('19) UT had a bye week on deck. Longhorns were ranked #15 but were only a 1 pt favorite. Game was tied in the 3Q but TCU would pull away in the 4Q and Texas dropped to 5-3, 37-27. Texas has had two very impressive wins vs Louisiana and Rice to open but also a dominating loss to Arkansas where they were outrushed 333-138. Last week they Texas had TD's on all 5 1H poss and added a 27 yd IR TD 42-14. Texas was int'd to open 2H then scored TD's on next 4 poss 70-28 last drive SOD 34 in 70-35 win over TTech. TCU did only beat Cal at home 34-32 despite a 31-16 FD edge and last week TCU lost at home to SMU and were outgained 595-446. Last week I was leaning with TCU to keep up their series dominance but the results have me calling for a close Texas road win.

Texas 38 TCU 35

Florida Gators

Gators Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	135	116	13		9/4	Florida Atlantic	35-14	W	32	26	59	91	44	108
1-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	135	112	13		9/11	at USF	42-20	W	33	24	61	109	110	128
2-0	2-0	0-0	0-0	136	155	11	1	9/18	Alabama	29-31	L	20	17	82	4	3	1
2-1	2-1	0-1	0-0	138	121	11		9/25	Tennessee	38-14	W	8	14	88	44	35	7
3-1	4-0	1-1	2-0	138	125	10		10/2	at Kentucky			3	17	74	31	29	77
	1-3		0-1		107			10/9	Vanderbilt						119	111	102
	3-1		1-0		138			10/16	at LSU						55	18	25
								10/23	Bye								
	4-0		2-0		154			10/30	† Georgia						10	1	49
	2-2		0-2		118			11/6	at South Carolina						78	40	47
								11/13	Samford								
	2-2		0-1		124			11/20	at Missouri						20	81	15
	0-4		0-2		120			11/27	Florida St						50	49	82

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Florida Atlantic	35-14	200	3	0	26	46-400	8.7	20-35	153	0	23	37-92	2.5	19-33	261	6
at USF	42-20	383	6	-1	26	44-363	8.3	17-25	303	1	20	41-95	2.3	17-30	188	1
Alabama	29-31	115	7	-1	26	43-258	6.0	17-27	181	1	19	27-91	3.4	22-35	233	2
Tennessee	38-14	82	5	-1	25	40-283	7.1	22-28	222	1	20	37-148	4.0	15-31	275	3
at Kentucky																
Vanderbilt																
at LSU																
Bye																
† Georgia																
at South Carolina																
Samford																
at Missouri																
Florida St																
Average	36-20	195.0	5.3	-0.8	26	43-326	7.5	66.1%	215	2.6%	21	36-107	3.0	56.6%	239	9.3%
Conference	34-23	98.5	6.0	-1.0	26	42-271	6.5	70.9%	202	3.6%	20	32-120	3.7	56.1%	254	7.6%
Away	42-20	383.0	6.0	-1.0	26	44-363	8.3	68.0%	303	4.0%	20	41-95	2.3	56.7%	188	3.3%

	OVERALL:	OVERALL:
	3-1	4-0
	vs. SEC	vs. SEC
	1-1	2-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Florida		Kentucky
#3	Rush Off	#35
#82	Pass Off	#60
#9	**Total Off**	**#41**
#34	Score Off	#58
#8	Sks Allowed	#51
#30	Rush Def	#21
#87	Pass Def	#26
#60	**Total Def**	**#8**
#43	Score Def	#27
#25	Sks By	#58
#12	Ypg Diff	#17
-3	**Total TO's**	**-9**

Florida Gators | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Kentucky Wildcats**

Position by Position Edges

Florida		Kentucky
0.41	Florida QB/WR vs. Kentucky DB's	
0.61	Florida RB's vs. Kentucky LB's	
0.03	Florida OL vs. Kentucky DL	
0.80	Florida DL vs. Kentucky OL	
0.41	Florida LB'S vs. Kentucky RB's	
0.72	Florida DB's vs. Kentucky QB/WR	
1.04	Florida ST's vs. Kentucky ST's	
	Florida K vs. Kentucky K	
0.25	Florida Coaches vs. Kentucky Coaches	
4.26	Florida Pts vs. Kentucky Pts	0.00

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Florida

By 4.26 Points

Kentucky Wildcats

Wildcats Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	125	96			9/4	ULM	45-10	W	67	42	52	130	126	130
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	125	124			9/11	Missouri	35-28	W	41	39	23	59	63	16
2-0		1-0		125			7	9/18	Chattanooga	28-23	W	33	32	75			
3-0	2-1	1-0	0-1	123	121			9/25	at South Carolina	16-10	W	27	37	80	61	36	56
4-0	3-1	2-0	1-1	125	138		10	10/2	Florida			31	29	77	3	17	74
	3-1		1-0		138			10/9	LSU						55	18	25
	4-0		2-0		154			10/16	at Georgia						10	1	49
								10/23	Bye								
	2-2		0-1		130			10/30	at Miss St						47	14	111
	2-2		0-1		121			11/6	Tennessee						39	48	10
	1-3		0-1		107			11/13	at Vanderbilt						119	111	102
	1-4		0-0		95			11/20	New Mexico St						126	126	52
	3-1		1-0		128			11/27	at Louisville						71	84	58

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
ULM	45-10	467	12	-3	24	34-135	4.0	22-33	419	4	12	43-17	0.4	11-20	70	6
Missouri	35-28	113	1	-1	26	52-332	6.4	10-18	179	2	25	24-104	4.3	34-52	294	1
Chattanooga	28-23	17	4	-2	20	27-102	3.8	23-35	254	1	16	28-171	6.1	21-35	168	0
at South Carolina	16-10	116	10	-3	22	44-230	5.2	15-22	102	0	12	26-58	2.2	17-25	158	2
Florida																
LSU																
at Georgia																
Bye																
at Miss St																
Tennessee																
at Vanderbilt																
New Mexico St																
at Louisville																
Average	31-18	178.3	6.8	-2.3	23	39-200	5.1	64.8%	239	6.5%	16	30-88	2.9	62.9%	173	6.8%
Conference	26-19	114.5	5.5	-2.0	24	48-281	5.9	62.5%	141	5.0%	19	25-81	3.2	66.2%	226	3.9%
Home	36-20	199.0	5.7	-2.0	23	38-190	5.0	64.0%	284	8.1%	18	32-97	3.1	61.7%	177	6.5%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Florida	6	-24	34	21	25-104	26-32-314	
Kentucky	-	60.5	10	15	43-159	10-19-62	-1
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Florida	9	-8.5	29	21	27-138	21-30-300	
Kentucky	-	47.5	21	26	41-140	23-35-267	-2
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Florida	25	-13.5	16	24	29-128	17-38-232	
Kentucky	-	51	27	20	41-303	11-16-151	0
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Florida	20	-2.5	28	20	36-186	17-27-209	
Kentucky	-	44	27	21	32-120	18-27-220	1
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Florida	-	-16.5	45	28	50-244	19-33-320	
Kentucky	-	49.5	7	9	34-94	3-14-55	-3

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Projected Box Score

	Projected Rushing		
248 yards	Florida	Kentucky	147 yards
	Projected Passing		
191 yards	Florida	Kentucky	235 yards
	Projected Yardage Total		
439 yards	Florida	Kentucky	382 yards
	Projected Final Score		
32 points	Florida	Kentucky	22 points
	Experience Rankings		
121	Florida	Kentucky	123
	Team Schedule Strength		
12	Florida	Kentucky	88

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Florida By 8.5
Las Vegas Total	55 Points
+/- Ratings	Florida By 9.0
Game Grade	Florida By 8.4
Computer Yards	Florida 439-382
Computer Points	Florida 32-22
Phil Steele	Florida by 3

Phil's Forecast:

Last time here Gators were out for revenge after having their 31-game series win streak broken in '18. Florida trailed 21-10 3Q and lost QB Franks for the season but QB Trask rallied for 29-21 win. UK has lost 33 of last 34 meetings and hasn't beaten Florida in Lexington since '86, have been agonizingly close past 2 meetings at Kroger Field. The 'Cats are 9-6 when hosting SEC East foes. Last year Kentucky down 18 players 4 coaches. Kentucky led 10-7 with 1:13 left in the half and had a 12-6 FD edge with UF's only TD set up by a fake punt. UK pinned at their own 3 went 3&out and UF got a Toney 50 yd PR TD with :42 left to lead 14-10 and take momentum. UF got a TD and FG after UK's int's in 2H but went 69/10 to 1 on last drive in 34-10 win allowing just 46 yds 2H. Mullen is 17-13-1 ATS as an AF. Kentucky is 3-0 ATS as a HD the last 3 years with 2 outright upsets. Florida gave up a couple of back door covers to start the year and trailed Bama 21-3 but really impressed me coming up 2 points short vs the Tide and had a 439-324 yard-edge. Last week in a letdown spot they were outgained by Tenn 261-213 at H but got a TD with 1:45 left for the front door cover 38-14 (-19). Kentucky opened 3-0 with a better than the score win vs Missouri. Last week Kentucky had a 22-12 FD edge and 332-216 yd edge but 3 TO's. Twice after UK TO's SCAR was SOD on dropped passes. UK open 75/12 TD but then 3 punts and an int before 57/10 43 yd FG :00 10-0 H. SC open 3Q 75/10 TD UK 72/13 1&G 4 21 yd FG. UK 51/9 27 yd FG 4:26 16-7. SC 39/5 54 yd FG 2:31 UK 30/6 run out clock. UK is holding foes to 148 ypg below their season avg and gaining 115 above what their opp's normally allow. UF is #1 in that category with 220 ypg above what opp's allow and have taken on the tougher schedule (#12 vs #88). I think this will be close just like the Gators last three trips here as Kentucky is allowing FBS foes just 59.6 ypg rush and 1.9 ypc and UF is a run team this year.

Florida 27 Kentucky 24

Oklahoma Sooners

Sooners Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	149	127	2		9/4	Tulane	40-35	W	1	3	22	69	72	73
1-0		0-0		145		4		9/11	Western Carolina	76-0	W	1	4	63			
2-0	2-1	0-0	0-1	147	129	3		9/18	Nebraska	23-16	W	2	4	25	31	42	124
3-0	2-1	0-0	0-0	145	129	4		9/25	West Virginia	16-13	W	4	6	22	73	38	12
4-0	2-2	1-0	0-1	142	130	6		10/2	at Kansas St			14	8	14	77	51	17
	3-1		1-0		142			10/9	† Texas						5	77	59
	2-1		0-0		132			10/16	TCU						16	71	43
	1-3		0-1		105			10/23	at Kansas						121	127	81
	3-1		0-1		123			10/30	Texas Tech						36	65	75
								11/6	Bye								
	4-0		2-0		135			11/13	at Baylor						12	35	30
	2-2		0-1		140			11/20	Iowa St						42	25	118
	4-0		1-0		132			11/27	at Oklahoma St						80	34	83

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Tulane	40-35	34	0	1	24	35-116	3.3	31-40	314	1	24	32-100	3.1	27-45	296	4
Western Carolina	76-0	446	20	3	31	38-277	7.3	27-38	347	2	11	27-55	2.0	21-36	123	4
Nebraska	23-16	24	3	1	21	35-194	5.5	24-34	214	0	18	38-95	2.5	19-25	289	5
West Virginia	16-13	87	1	0	19	28-57	2.0	26-36	256	4	18	29-47	1.6	23-34	179	1
at Kansas St																
† Texas																
TCU																
at Kansas																
Texas Tech																
Bye																
at Baylor																
Iowa St																
at Oklahoma St																
Average	39-16	147.8	6.0	1.3	24	34-161	4.7	73.0%	283	4.7%	18	32-74	2.4	64.3%	222	10.0%
Conference	16-13	87.0	1.0	0.0	19	28-57	2.0	72.2%	256	11.1%	18	29-47	1.6	67.6%	179	2.9%
Away	0-0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%

	OVERALL:	OVERALL:
	4-0	2-2
	vs. BIG 12	vs. BIG 12
	1-0	0-1

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Oklahoma		Kansas St
#67	Rush Off	#48
#31	Pass Off	#117
#37	**Total Off**	**#102**
#20	Score Off	#72
#51	Sks Allowed	#38
#9	Rush Def	#10
#67	Pass Def	#100
#24	**Total Def**	**#50**
#19	Score Def	#41
#9	Sks By	#9
#21	Ypg Diff	#82
+5	**Total TO's**	**-1**

Oklahoma Sooners | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Kansas St Wildcats**

Position by Position Edges

Oklahoma		Kansas St
0.95	Oklahoma QB/WR vs. Kansas St DB's	
0.17	Oklahoma RB's vs. Kansas St LB's	
	Oklahoma OL vs. Kansas St DL	0.31
1.62	Oklahoma DL vs. Kansas St OL	
1.19	Oklahoma LB'S vs. Kansas St RB's	
1.61	Oklahoma DB's vs. Kansas St QB/WR	
	Oklahoma ST's vs. Kansas St ST's	0.12
1.30	Oklahoma K vs. Kansas St K	
0.95	Oklahoma Coaches vs. Kansas St Coaches	
7.79	Oklahoma Pts vs. Kansas St Pts	0.44

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Oklahoma

By 7.35 Points

Kansas St Wildcats

Wildcats Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	125	131			9/4	† Stanford	24-7	W	53	96	19	58	67	37
1-0		0-0		130				9/11	Southern Illinois	23-31	L	49	93	7			
1-1	2-0	0-0	0-0	129	128			9/18	Nevada	38-17	W	61	83	35	28	62	55
2-1	3-0	0-0	0-0	132	130	25		9/25	at Oklahoma St	20-31	L	58	48	28	86	40	63
2-2	4-0	0-1	1-0	130	142		6	10/2	Oklahoma			77	51	17	14	8	14
								10/9	Bye								
	2-2		0-1		140			10/16	Iowa St						42	25	118
	3-1		0-1		123			10/23	at Texas Tech						36	65	75
	2-1		0-0		132			10/30	TCU						16	71	43
	1-3		0-1		105			11/6	at Kansas						121	127	81
	2-2		0-1		132			11/13	West Virginia						87	32	13
	4-0		2-0		135			11/20	Baylor						12	35	30
	3-1		1-0		142			11/27	at Texas						5	77	59

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
† Stanford	24-7	111	1	1	15	31-200	6.5	9-14	144	3	14	22-39	1.8	23-30	194	4
Southern Illinois	31-23	104	7	-1	24	49-208	4.2	11-21	172	1	17	40-100	2.5	16-28	176	6
Nevada	38-17	67	8	1	22	48-269	5.6	9-13	129	0	14	23-25	1.1	28-41	306	3
at Oklahoma St	20-31	-221	-12	-2	13	25-62	2.5	14-31	198	2	25	43-137	3.2	22-34	344	1
Oklahoma																
Bye																
Iowa St																
at Texas Tech																
TCU																
at Kansas																
West Virginia																
Baylor																
at Texas																
Average	28-20	15.3	1.0	-0.3	19	38-185	4.8	54.4%	161	7.6%	18	32-75	2.4	66.9%	255	10.5%
Conference	20-31	-221.0	-12.0	-2.0	13	25-62	2.5	45.2%	198	6.5%	25	43-137	3.2	64.7%	344	2.9%
Home	35-20	85.5	7.5	0.0	23	49-239	4.9	58.8%	151	2.9%	16	32-63	2.0	63.8%	241	13.0%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Oklahoma	3	-27.5	35	28	35-130	30-41-387	
Kansas St	-	61	38	10	26-56	18-25-334	4
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Oklahoma	5	-23.5	41	18	26-102	19-27-395	
Kansas St	-	59.5	48	24	45-213	18-28-213	2
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Oklahoma	-	-24	51	32	39-322	22-29-380	
Kansas St	-	65	14	13	32-137	13-21-108	-1
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Oklahoma	9	-14	42	28	38-209	32-41-410	
Kansas St	-	55	35	18	42-268	12-14-144	0
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Oklahoma	19	-13.5	38	24	33-138	26-32-372	
Kansas St	-	58.5	17	19	32-110	20-37-225	1

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Projected Box Score

Oklahoma		Kansas St
	Projected Rushing	
96 yards	Oklahoma	127 yards
	Projected Passing	
267 yards	Oklahoma	182 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
364 yards	Oklahoma	309 yards
	Projected Final Score	
28 points	Oklahoma	22 points
	Experience Rankings	
74	Oklahoma	88
	Team Schedule Strength	
89	Oklahoma	23

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Oklahoma By 10.5
Las Vegas Total	52.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Oklahoma By 7.5
Game Grade	Kansas St By 1.4
Computer Yards	Oklahoma 364-309
Computer Points	Oklahoma 28-22
Phil Steele	Oklahoma by 17

Phil's Forecast:

Kansas St became just the 2nd team in 546 tries since '04 to rally & win after trailing by 21 pts vs a Top-5 opponent last year when they knocked off the Sooners last year. Kan St was down 8 players including 5 DB's and Oklahoma was dominant and led 21-7 at half with 17-4 FD edge and 35-14 mid 3Q but KSt QB Skylar Thompson threw for 334 yds with the help of a blocked punt rallied to pull the 38-35 upset (+27'). The last time here OU was -23' and led 17-7 but KSt rallied and shockingly led 48-23 4Q and held on for a 48-41 upset so the Sooners are playing with double revenge. They do have the Red River Rivalry on deck. Oklahoma had unimpressive 5 & 7 point wins over Tulane and Nebraska and last week WV had a 10-3 FD edge at half and led 10-7 with OU having 16-8 FD in 2H but needing FG at :00 to escape 16-13.. Kansas St opened a solid 3-0 SU and 2-0 vs FBS teams with wins by 17 and 21 despite losing QB Thompson to injury in week 2. Last week after 5 straight games of 200+ rush KSU had 62 yds rush. Will Howard was just 4-12-50. Howard fmbl into EZ and OSU fall on it for TD & OSU led 21-10, 31-13 H. OSU miss 48 yd FG. 2H feature 10 3&outs. KSt pull to 31-20 on 55 yd TD pass Vaughn but 3&out last 3 poss as OSU shut down the run. Oklahoma is allowing just 74 ypg rush (2.4) and can do the same. My AGG actually has Kansas St playing at a 104.6 level and Oklahoma at 107.2. The angles clearly point to KSU as Riley is just 6-8-1 ATS as an AF and this is their first road trip and the Wildcats are 17-5 ATS as a HD the last 11 years. The matchups call for Oklahoma with the stout run defense stopping the only thing KSt can do with Howard and it was Skylar Thompston at QB in both upsets of the Sooners. I will call for OU to get their double revenge.

Oklahoma 30 Kansas St 13

FIU Golden Panthers

Golden Panthers Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		108				9/4	Long Island	48-10	W	120	99	21			
1-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	108	113			9/11	Texas St	17-23	L	108	98	11	107	119	99
1-1	2-0	0-0	0-0	108	124			9/18	at Texas Tech	21-54	L	96	89	18	36	36	63
1-2	1-2	0-0	0-0	106	117			9/25	at Central Michigan	27-31	L	81	93	18	70	106	54
1-3	2-2	0-0	0-0	108	116			10/2	at Florida Atlantic			84	99	26	88	87	38
	3-1		1-0		111			10/9	Charlotte						57	118	97
								10/16	Bye								
	1-2		0-0		119			10/23	WKU						65	95	41
	2-2		0-0		119			10/30	at Marshall						41	79	48
	1-3		0-0		104			11/6	Old Dominion						114	102	62
	1-3		0-2		116			11/13	at Middle Tennessee						116	104	116
	1-3		0-2		102			11/20	North Texas						83	113	61
	1-3		0-0		111			11/27	at Southern Miss						125	88	65

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Long Island	48-10	303	7	-1	22	30-318	10.6	15-19	276	0	15	36-96	2.7	16-31	195	1
Texas St	17-23	64	0	-3	21	38-141	3.7	17-34	259	1	21	44-171	3.9	18-31	165	4
at Texas Tech	21-54	-338	-21	0	10	29-55	1.9	13-29	191	2	31	37-177	4.8	27-37	407	0
at Central Michigan	27-31	-162	-11	0	18	32-42	1.3	20-38	395	5	29	40-202	5.1	30-49	397	2
at Florida Atlantic																
Charlotte																
Bye																
WKU																
at Marshall																
Old Dominion																
at Middle Tennessee																
North Texas																
at Southern Miss																
Average	28-30	-33.3	-6.3	-1.0	18	32-139	4.3	54.2%	280	6.7%	24	39-162	4.1	61.5%	291	4.7%
Conference	0-0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Away	24-43	-250.0	-16.0	0.0	14	31-49	1.6	49.3%	293	10.4%	30	39-190	4.9	66.3%	402	2.3%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
1-3	2-2
vs. CUSA	vs. CUSA
0-0	0-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

FIU		FAU
#87	Rush Off	#54
#33	Pass Off	#57
#57	**Total Off**	**#59**
#72	Score Off	#88
#70	Sks Allowed	#106
#83	Rush Def	#127
#117	Pass Def	#7
#115	**Total Def**	**#77**
#94	Score Def	#56
#82	Sks By	#125
#101	Ypg Diff	#77
-4	**Total TO's**	**0**

FIU Golden Panthers | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **FAU Owls**

Position by Position Edges

FIU		FAU
	FIU QB/WR vs. FAU DB's	0.79
	FIU RB's vs. FAU LB's	0.59
0.54	FIU OL vs. FAU DL	
	FIU DL vs. FAU OL	0.24
0.42	FIU LB'S vs. FAU RB's	
0.03	FIU DB's vs. FAU QB/WR	
	FIU ST's vs. FAU ST's	0.87
2.95	FIU K vs. FAU K	
2.00	FIU Coaches vs. FAU Coaches	
5.94	FIU Pts vs. FAU Pts	2.48

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

FIU

By 3.45 Points

FAU Owls

Owls Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	116	135		13	9/4	at Florida	14-35	L	91	44	108	32	26	59
0-1	1-0	0-0	0-0	116	115			9/11	GA Southern	38-6	W	101	44	113	99	87	35
1-1		0-0		120				9/18	Fordham	45-14	W	82	50	70			
2-1	2-1	0-0	0-1	120	121			9/25	at Air Force	7-31	L	74	65	37	85	91	129
2-2	1-3	0-0	0-0	116	108			10/2	FIU			88	87	38	84	99	26
	3-1		1-0		128			10/9	at UAB						70	31	85
								10/16	Bye								
	3-1		1-0		111			10/21	at Charlotte						57	118	97
	3-1		0-0		104			10/30	UTEP						75	72	88
	2-2		0-0		119			11/6	Marshall						41	79	48
	1-3		0-0		104			11/13	at Old Dominion						114	102	62
	1-2		0-0		119			11/20	at WKU						65	95	41
	1-3		0-2		116			11/27	Middle Tennessee						116	104	116

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Florida	14-35	-200	-3	0	23	37-92	2.5	19-33	261	6	26	46-400	8.7	20-35	153	0
GA Southern	38-6	284	10	2	27	44-209	4.8	19-29	332	5	17	38-139	3.7	14-24	118	1
Fordham	45-14	310	23	-1	32	49-246	5.0	30-46	301	0	9	18-29	1.6	16-40	208	1
at Air Force	7-31	-297	-14	-1	10	20-141	7.1	11-33	78	1	24	73-446	6.1	2-5	70	0
FIU																
at UAB																
Bye																
at Charlotte																
UTEP																
Marshall																
at Old Dominion																
at WKU																
Middle Tennessee																
Average	26-22	24.3	4.0	0.0	23	38-172	4.6	56.0%	243	8.5%	19	44-254	5.8	50.0%	137	1.9%
Conference	0-0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Home	42-10	297.0	16.5	0.5	30	47-228	4.9	65.3%	317	6.7%	13	28-84	3.0	46.9%	163	3.1%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
FIU	-	41	19	15	33-156	18-33-192	
FAU	-	-9.5	38	22	52-381	10-16-80	-1
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
FIU	-	59	7	16	29-112	20-38-192	
FAU	-	-10	37	30	44-261	24-39-318	2
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
FIU	-	-2.5	14	19	33-96	19-34-234	
Florida Atlantic	-	59.5	49	31	60-439	10-16-157	3
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
FIU	-	64.5	24	18	31-85	20-33-218	
Florida Atlantic	-	-14.5	52	27	46-333	18-25-239	-1
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
FIU	-	53	33	25	49-270	15-30-199	
Florida Atlantic	-	-4.5	31	17	36-236	9-21-92	1

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Projected Box Score

FIU		FAU
	Projected Rushing	
126 yards	FIU	FAU	220 yards
	Projected Passing	
198 yards	FIU	FAU	240 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
323 yards	FIU	FAU	460 yards
	Projected Final Score	
17 points	FIU	FAU	27 points
	Experience Rankings	
58	FIU	FAU	11
	Team Schedule Strength	
98	FIU	FAU	82

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Fau By 10.5
Las Vegas Total	51.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Fau By 11.3
Game Grade	Fau By 16.1
Computer Yards	Fau 460-323
Computer Points	Fau 27-17
Phil Steele	Fau by 10

Phil's Forecast:

For the first time in four years, the Shula Bowl will be held in October instead of November. Ironically, that was the last time the Panthers defeated the Owls (33-31, +4' at home), as FAU has won the last 4 meetings both SU and ATS by 28 ppg. This will be the 20th edition of the rivalry. Home team is 9-3 SU/8-4 ATS. Underdog is 8-4 with 7 outright upsets. First time FIU plays 3 straight road games since '10. Last time here in '19 FIU was 10 pt dogs, only trailed 13-7 at half, lost 37-7. FIU is -231 ypg in L/4 mtgs and they've allowed 313 rush ypg in last 6 meetings. Last year Javion Posey got first start QB FAU and ran for 140 yds (schl rec rush yds QB) and hit 10-16-80. FIU got a 77 yd TD run by Price and with 1:55 left a 67 yd pass but FAU led 24-10 at half and won comfortably 38-19 (-9'). FAU got a back door cover vs Florida in the opener then blasted both Georgia Southern and Fordham. Last week Nkosi Perry hit just 11-33-78 and AF had 17-4 FD 360-118 yd edge at half and led FAU 24-7. AF got 94 yd TD run by Daniels and scored on 4 of 5 1H poss but settle for 31 & 22 yd FG and missed one. AF took 2nd 3Q poss 97/12 TD 3:30 and won 31-7 at home. FIU lost at home to Texas St despite a 400-336 yd edge they lost to Texas Tech 54-21. Last week FIU led 14-10 at half and Rishard Dames blkd a punt for a TD to put them up 27-10 after 3Q. CM Bkp QB Richardson led 80/10. 76/8 yd TD drives 27-24. FIU miss 28 yd FG 4:06 CM SOD 2:20 left at 43 but 80/5 27 yd TD pass 1:11 left to lead. FIU 72/9 to 18 but int in EZ :00. FAU does have a big game vs UAB on deck. The series history says FAU but FIU QB Bortenschlager joined the team late last year and now knows offense and threw for 395 yds last week.

FAU 34 FIU 24

Connecticut Huskies

Huskies Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	101	121			9/4	at Fresno St	0-45	L	129	127	109	33	85	126
0-1		0-0		97				9/11	Holy Cross	28-38	L	129	127	109			
0-2	1-0	0-0	0-0	94	127			9/18	Purdue	0-49	L	129	128	105	55	61	75
0-3	2-0	0-0	0-0	91	124			9/25	at Army West Point	21-52	L	129	127	119	100	79	22
0-4	3-0	0-1	0-0	92	124			10/2	Wyoming	22-24	L	129	129	125	92	63	66
0-5	1-3	0-1	0-1	96	107			10/9	at Vanderbilt			129	128	113	119	111	102
	0-4		0-0		93			10/16	at UMass						120	130	126
								10/23	Yale								
	1-3		0-2		116			10/30	Middle Tennessee						116	104	116
								11/6	Bye								
	2-2		1-1		136			11/13	at Clemson						69	6	93
	2-1		0-0		128			11/20	at UCF						7	70	107
	3-1		1-0		122			11/27	Houston						89	56	18

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Fresno St	0-45	-431	-16	0	9	31-35	1.1	14-30	72	4	25	38-156	4.1	27-39	382	0
Holy Cross	28-38	-101	-1	-3	18	39-88	2.3	17-41	174	3	19	51-226	4.4	11-20	137	4
Purdue	0-49	-339	-18	-1	11	34-124	3.6	14-25	99	0	29	42-187	4.5	30-36	375	3
at Army West Point	21-52	-279	-15	-1	9	19-116	6.1	11-26	109	2	24	67-397	5.9	3-3	107	0
Wyoming	22-24	-71	-3	1	19	28-110	3.9	19-39	171	3	22	45-203	4.5	15-26	149	0
at Vanderbilt																
at UMass																
Yale																
Middle Tennessee																
Bye																
at Clemson																
at UCF																
Houston																
Average	14-42	-244.2	-10.6	-0.8	13	30-95	3.1	46.6%	125	7.5%	24	49-234	4.8	69.4%	230	5.6%
Conference	0-49	-339.0	-18.0	-1.0	11	34-124	3.6	56.0%	99	0.0%	29	42-187	4.5	83.3%	375	8.3%
Away	11-49	-355.0	-15.5	-0.5	9	25-76	3.0	44.6%	91	10.7%	25	53-277	5.3	71.4%	245	0.0%

OVERALL: 0-5 | **vs. AAC** 0-1

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Connecticut		Vanderbilt
#116	Rush Off	#102
#124	Pass Off	#116
#128	**Total Off**	**#122**
#125	Score Off	#128
#106	Sks Allowed	#51
#122	Rush Def	#114
#74	Pass Def	#66
#121	**Total Def**	**#103**
#125	Score Def	#119
#82	Sks By	#128
#129	Ypg Diff	#124
-4	**Total TO's**	**-6**

Connecticut Huskies | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Vanderbilt Commodores**

Position by Position Edges

Connecticut		Vanderbilt
	Connecticut QB/WR vs. Vanderbilt DB's	2.03
	Connecticut RB's vs. Vanderbilt LB's	0.92
	Connecticut OL vs. Vanderbilt DL	0.14
	Connecticut DL vs. Vanderbilt OL	0.89
0.21	Connecticut LB'S vs. Vanderbilt RB's	
	Connecticut DB's vs. Vanderbilt QB/WR	1.33
2.59	Connecticut ST's vs. Vanderbilt ST's	
	Connecticut K vs. Vanderbilt K	
1.75	Connecticut Coaches vs. Vanderbilt Coaches	
4.56	Connecticut Pts vs. Vanderbilt Pts	5.32

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Vanderbilt

By 0.76 Points

Vanderbilt Commodores

Commodores Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		112				9/4	East Tenn St	3-23	L	110	116	106			
0-1	0-1	0-0	0-0	107	117			9/11	at Colorado St	24-21	W	112	118	85	114	86	70
1-1	1-1	0-0	1-0	111	131			9/18	Stanford	23-41	L	115	115	78	56	67	115
1-2	3-0	0-0	1-0	111	150		2	9/25	Georgia	0-62	L	107	109	91	11	1	51
1-3	0-5	0-1	0-1	107	96			10/2	Connecticut			119	111	102	129	128	113
	3-1		1-1		138			10/9	at Florida						3	17	74
	2-2		0-2		118			10/16	at South Carolina						78	40	47
	2-2		0-1		130			10/23	Miss St						47	14	111
	2-2		0-1		124			10/30	Missouri						20	81	15
								11/6	Bye								
	4-0		2-0		125			11/13	Kentucky						31	29	77
	3-0		0-0		145			11/20	at Mississippi						2	38	68
	2-2		0-1		121			11/27	at Tennessee						39	48	10

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
East Tenn St	3-23	7	10	-3	23	31-85	2.7	24-44	236	2	13	37-179	4.8	13-22	135	0
at Colorado St	24-21	-103	1	0	21	37-104	2.8	27-42	238	3	20	33-207	6.3	20-38	238	0
Stanford	23-41	-24	3	-1	23	44-247	5.6	18-40	151	1	20	27-204	7.6	19-29	218	1
Georgia	0-62	-455	-24	-2	4	28-53	1.9	5-18	24	1	28	48-241	5.0	21-28	291	0
Connecticut																
at Florida																
at South Carolina																
Miss St																
Missouri																
Bye																
Kentucky																
at Mississippi																
at Tennessee																
Average	13-37	-143.8	-2.5	-1.5	18	35-122	3.5	51.4%	162	4.9%	20	36-208	5.7	62.4%	221	0.9%
Conference	0-62	-455.0	-24.0	-2.0	4	28-53	1.9	27.8%	24	5.6%	28	48-241	5.0	75.0%	291	0.0%
Home	9-42	-157.3	-3.7	-2.0	17	34-128	3.7	46.1%	137	3.9%	20	37-208	5.6	67.1%	215	1.3%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

None

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing

Connecticut		Vanderbilt
134 yards		214 yards

Projected Passing

Connecticut		Vanderbilt
118 yards		235 yards

Projected Yardage Total

Connecticut		Vanderbilt
252 yards		449 yards

Projected Final Score

Connecticut		Vanderbilt
23 points		35 points

Experience Rankings

Connecticut		Vanderbilt
87		73

Team Schedule Strength

Connecticut		Vanderbilt
58		20

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Vanderbilt By 14.5
Las Vegas Total	51.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Vanderbilt By 14.0
Game Grade	Vanderbilt By 14.2
Computer Yards	Vanderbilt 449-252
Computer Points	Vanderbilt 35-23
Phil Steele	Vanderbilt by 14

Phil's Forecast:

UConn is 1-2 all-time against Vanderbilt, beating the Commodores 40-21 at home in 2010. The visitor is 0-3 SU (1-2 ATS) in the series with the Huskies losing here 28-24 in 2002 & 24-21 in 2011, which was also the teams last meeting & the last time UConn faced an SEC team. The 'Dores lost their last game vs a Group of 5 foe, 34-10 vs UNLV in `19. Usually, Vandy has a home field DISadvantage vs SEC teams, but will have the crowd edge here and is 18-15 ATS as a HF the last 11 years. Connecticut is 3-26 SU the last 3 years and 8-43 SU on the road the last 11 years. UConn opened 0-2 with an upset loss to Holy Cross and coach Edsall stepped away. After a 49-0 loss to Purdue, they trailed Army 42-0 at half but thanks to a KR Td and a TD in the final minute led by QB Tyler Phommanchanh they got the back door cover. Last week UConn surprisingly open 45/7 28 yd FG. Wyoming miss 43 yd FG. UConn 74/6 flea flicker for wide open TD 10-0. WY int'd and UC 29/5 FG 13-0 in 2Q! WY 72/16 24 yd FG trail 13-3 H but had 153-135 yd edge. WY open 3Q 69/9 TD but int at 9 and UConn 74/16/6:15 35 yd FG 11:16 left 16-10. WY 77/10 TD then int 29/5 TD led 24-16 3:34 UCONN 64/15 TD but 2 pt NG :04 left. UConn is -244 ypg and playing to an AGG of 67.9. Vandy lost at home to ETennSt (-21) then upset Colo St on the road. After a home loss to Stanford where they scored a TD on the last play to only lose 41-23. Last week the crowd was a sea of red and the Bulldogs completely dominated leading 35-0 after 1Q and QB Daniels was pulled after 1Q! Vandy went 3&out 9 times and Georgia had 524-77 yd edge. Georgia was even SOD at the 3 in 2Q in 62-0 shutout win. Vandy is -144 ypg and played to an AGG of 80.9. Vandy has taken on the tougher schedule (#18 vs #69) but how do you put your faith in either of these two teams?

Vanderbilt 37 Connecticut 23

Texas Tech Red Raiders

Red Raiders Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	126	121			9/4	† Houston	38-21	W	31	45	53	73	48	3
1-0		0-0		128				9/11	SF Austin	28-22	W	39	40	50			
2-0	1-1	0-0	0-0	124	108			9/18	FIU	54-21	W	36	36	63	96	89	18
3-0	2-1	0-0	0-0	126	139			9/25	at Texas	35-70	L	30	32	60	17	70	65
3-1	2-2	0-1	0-1	123	132			10/2	at West Virginia			36	65	75	87	32	13
								10/9	Bye								
	2-1		0-0		132			10/16	TCU						16	71	43
	1-3		0-1		105			10/23	at Kansas						121	127	81
	2-2		0-1		130			10/30	Kansas St						77	51	17
	4-0		1-0		142			11/6	at Oklahoma						14	8	14
	2-2		0-1		140			11/13	Iowa St						42	25	118
	4-0		1-0		132			11/20	Oklahoma St						80	34	83
	4-0		2-0		135			11/27	at Baylor						12	35	30

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
† Houston	38-21	125	-1	3	15	28-145	5.2	17-24	231	3	16	35-77	2.2	27-38	174	4
SF Austin	28-22	-12	-11	-4	11	26-200	7.7	11-21	163	0	22	29-32	1.1	38-59	343	2
FIU	54-21	338	21	0	31	37-177	4.8	27-37	407	0	10	29-55	1.9	13-29	191	2
at Texas	35-70	-119	-7	-1	20	33-128	3.9	26-34	392	2	27	52-336	6.5	18-23	303	1
at West Virginia																
Bye																
TCU																
at Kansas																
Kansas St																
at Oklahoma																
Iowa St																
Oklahoma St																
at Baylor																
Average	39-34	83.0	0.5	-0.5	19	31-163	5.2	69.8%	298	4.3%	19	36-125	3.4	64.4%	253	6.0%
Conference	35-70	-119.0	-7.0	-1.0	20	33-128	3.9	76.5%	392	5.9%	27	52-336	6.5	78.3%	303	4.3%
Away	37-46	3.0	-4.0	1.0	18	31-137	4.5	74.1%	312	8.6%	22	44-207	4.7	73.8%	239	8.2%

OVERALL: 3-1 | **OVERALL:** 2-2
vs. BIG 12 0-1 | **vs. BIG 12** 0-1

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Texas Tech		West Virginia
#64	Rush Off	#107
#22	Pass Off	#54
#28	**Total Off**	**#90**
#20	Score Off	#50
#23	Sks Allowed	#70
#52	Rush Def	#23
#99	Pass Def	#63
#74	**Total Def**	**#35**
#113	Score Def	#24
#58	Sks By	#9
#49	Ypg Diff	#62
-2	**Total TO's**	**-5**

Texas Tech Red Raiders | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **West Virginia Mountaineers**

Position by Position Edges

Texas Tech		West Virginia
0.29	Texas Tech QB/WR vs. West Virginia DB's	
	Texas Tech RB's vs. West Virginia LB's	1.08
	Texas Tech OL vs. West Virginia DL	1.02
0.89	Texas Tech DL vs. West Virginia OL	
1.71	Texas Tech LB'S vs. West Virginia RB's	
0.00	Texas Tech DB's vs. West Virginia QB/WR	
	Texas Tech ST's vs. West Virginia ST's	3.61
0.10	Texas Tech K vs. West Virginia K	
	Texas Tech Coaches vs. West Virginia Coaches	0.30
2.99	Texas Tech Pts vs. West Virginia Pts	6.01

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:
West Virginia
By 3.01 Points

West Virginia Mountaineers

Mountaineers Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	132	121			9/4	at Maryland	24-30	L	60	30	68	61	77	89
0-1		0-0		128				9/11	Long Island	66-0	W	62	34	24			
1-1	2-0	0-0	1-0	129	130	15		9/18	Virginia Tech	27-21	W	66	33	6	90	13	15
2-1	3-0	0-0	0-0	129	145		4	9/25	at Oklahoma	13-16	L	73	38	12	4	6	22
2-2	3-1	0-1	0-1	132	123			10/2	Texas Tech			87	32	13	36	65	75
	4-0		2-0		135			10/9	at Baylor						12	35	30
								10/16	Bye								
	2-1		0-0		132			10/23	at TCU						16	71	43
	2-2		0-1		140			10/30	Iowa St						42	25	118
	4-0		1-0		132			11/6	Oklahoma St						80	34	83
	2-2		0-1		130			11/13	at Kansas St						77	51	17
	3-1		1-0		142			11/20	Texas						5	77	59
	1-3		0-1		105			11/27	at Kansas						121	127	81

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Maryland	24-30	-171	-4	-4	18	21-48	2.3	24-40	277	3	22	44-164	3.7	26-36	332	2
Long Island	66-0	447	20	0	29	55-198	3.6	20-32	344	2	9	31-35	1.1	11-21	60	2
Virginia Tech	27-21	40	-1	-1	18	33-176	5.3	15-26	193	2	19	41-106	2.6	19-31	223	6
at Oklahoma	13-16	-87	-1	0	18	29-47	1.6	23-34	179	1	19	28-57	2.0	26-36	256	4
Texas Tech																
at Baylor																
Bye																
at TCU																
Iowa St																
Oklahoma St																
at Kansas St																
Texas																
at Kansas																
Average	33-17	57.3	3.5	-1.3	21	35-117	3.4	62.1%	248	6.1%	17	36-91	2.5	66.1%	218	11.3%
Conference	13-16	-87.0	-1.0	0.0	18	29-47	1.6	67.6%	179	2.9%	19	28-57	2.0	72.2%	256	11.1%
Home	47-11	243.5	9.5	-0.5	24	44-187	4.3	60.3%	269	6.9%	14	36-71	2.0	57.7%	142	15.4%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Texas Tech	-	54.5	34	18	39-179	22-28-169	
West Virginia	-	-3	27	22	29-91	32-50-347	0
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Texas Tech	-	-2.5	38	22	42-127	24-34-354	
West Virginia	-	58.5	17	25	18-51	38-61-498	-4
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Texas Tech	25	73	34	28	42-168	25-47-295	
West Virginia	12	-3.5	42	26	32-119	27-41-370	3
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Texas Tech	24	75	35	27	33-190	24-39-323	
West Virginia	-	-3.5	46	28	29-44	32-41-352	0
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Texas Tech	-	83.5	17	21	27-34	32-50-345	
West Virginia	20	-2.5	48	28	46-332	21-31-318	1

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Projected Box Score

Texas Tech		West Virginia
	Projected Rushing	
77 yards	Texas Tech	West Virginia 113 yards
	Projected Passing	
259 yards	Texas Tech	West Virginia 296 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
336 yards	Texas Tech	West Virginia 409 yards
	Projected Final Score	
26 points	Texas Tech	West Virginia 39 points
	Experience Rankings	
71	Texas Tech	West Virginia 103
	Team Schedule Strength	
80	Texas Tech	West Virginia 34

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	W Virginia By 7.5
Las Vegas Total	55.5 Points
+/- Ratings	W Virginia By 13.3
Game Grade	W Virginia By 8.5
Computer Yards	W Virginia 409-336
Computer Points	W Virginia 39-26
Phil Steele	W Virginia by 11

Phil's Forecast:

Last time here ('19) TT went to Morgantown on a mission to snap their 5-game losing streak to the Mountaineers. Red Raiders wasted no time, jumping out to a 35-10 HT & would cruise the rest of the way, 38-17. The Mountaineers won five straight against the Red Raiders from '14-'18 but have lost B2B meetings. Last year WVU on the road had a slight FD edge & outgained TT by 100 yds (438-338) but would fall short, 34-27. TTech led 20-13 at half. Tied 27-27 the teams punted 5 times and WV had ball at TT 42 but Mcpherson returned a fumble 56 yds for TD and Tech won 34-27. TT opened the year 3-0 with (+150 ypg) and last week Texas had TD's on all 5 1H poss and added a 27 yd IR TD 42-14. Texas was int'd to open 2H then scored TD's on next 4 poss 70-28 last drive SOD 34 in 70-35 win over TTech. TT lost QB Shough but Henry Columbi who led the win vs WV came off the bench and threw for 324 yds and 3 TD's and will start here. West Virginia was upset at Maryland in the opener being outgained 496-325 and being -4 in TO's. They jumped out to a 27-7 lead vs Vtech but needed a late stop near the EZ to hold on to a 27-21 win. Last week at Oklahoma (+20) WV led 10-7 H with 10-3 FD and 163-91 yd edge. Okla 64/10 and 62/16 for FG's to tie with 8:52 left. OU 80/14/3:39 for FG at :00 to escape 16-13 with 16-8 FD edge 2H. West Virginia is the stronger team and catch TT on a 2nd straight road game and long trip without their #1 QB.

West Virginia 38 Texas Tech 27

Auburn Tigers

Tigers Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	132	99			9/4	Akron	60-10	W	22	18	25	124	125	123
1-0		0-0		134		25		9/11	Alabama St	62-0	W	12	19	87			
2-0	2-0	0-0	1-0	135	146	22	10	9/18	at Penn St	20-28	L	6	21	27	34	8	24
2-1	1-2	0-0	0-0	136	113	23		9/25	Georgia St	34-24	W	3	34	21	111	121	112
3-1	3-1	0-0	1-0	133	138	22		10/2	at LSU			4	43	8	55	18	25
	4-0		2-0		154			10/9	Georgia						10	1	49
	4-0		1-0		138			10/16	at Arkansas						18	12	54
								10/23	Bye								
	3-0		0-0		145			10/30	Mississippi						2	38	68
	3-1		0-1		137			11/6	at Texas A&M						43	3	21
	2-2		0-1		130			11/13	Miss St						47	14	111
	2-2		0-2		118			11/20	at South Carolina						78	40	47
	4-0		1-0		154			11/27	Alabama						9	11	1

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Akron	60-10	425	16	0	28	32-316	9.9	22-27	297	0
Alabama St	62-0	362	10	1	21	39-364	9.3	11-19	174	1
at Penn St	20-28	-29	2	0	24	40-182	4.6	21-39	185	0
Georgia St	34-24	35	1	0	21	35-166	4.7	22-43	253	2
at LSU										
Georgia										
at Arkansas										
Bye										
Mississippi										
at Texas A&M										
Miss St										
at South Carolina										
Alabama										
Average	44-16	198.3	7.3	0.3	24	37-257	7.0	59.4%	227	2.3%
Conference	0-0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Away	20-28	-29.0	2.0	0.0	24	40-182	4.6	53.8%	185	0.0%

Score		Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Akron	60-10	12	36--3	-0.1	22-27	297	0
Alabama St	62-0	11	29-46	1.6	19-29	130	2
at Penn St	20-28	22	33-94	2.8	29-33	302	0
Georgia St	34-24	20	47-267	5.7	12-24	117	3
at LSU							
Georgia							
at Arkansas							
Bye							
Mississippi							
at Texas A&M							
Miss St							
at South Carolina							
Alabama							
Average	44-16	16	36-101	2.8	72.6%	185	9.7%
Conference	0-0	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Away	20-28	22	33-94	2.8	87.9%	302	0.0%

OVERALL: 3-1 vs. SEC 0-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Auburn		LSU
#9	Rush Off	#121
#71	Pass Off	#23
#19	**Total Off**	**#81**
#7	Score Off	#42
#8	Sks Allowed	#70
#27	Rush Def	#31
#33	Pass Def	#84
#18	**Total Def**	**#58**
#15	Score Def	#62
#34	Sks By	#1
#10	Ypg Diff	#72
+1	**Total TO's**	**+3**

Auburn Tigers | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **LSU Tigers**

Position by Position Edges

Auburn		LSU
	Auburn QB/WR vs. LSU DB's	0.48
1.27	Auburn RB's vs. LSU LB's	
0.02	Auburn OL vs. LSU DL	
1.36	Auburn DL vs. LSU OL	
2.50	Auburn LB'S vs. LSU RB's	
	Auburn DB's vs. LSU QB/WR	1.27
2.79	Auburn ST's vs. LSU ST's	
	Auburn K vs. LSU K	0.15
	Auburn Coaches vs. LSU Coaches	2.35
7.94	Auburn Pts vs. LSU Pts	4.25

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Auburn

By 3.68 Points

LSU Tigers

Tigers Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	FOE OFF	FOE DEF	FOE ST
0-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	144	135	16		9/4	at UCLA	27-38	L	16	10	16	21	29	15
0-1		0-0		140				9/11	McNeese	34-7	W	23	13	43			
1-1	1-1	0-0	0-0	138	117			9/18	Central Michigan	49-21	W	46	14	34	69	110	65
2-1	2-1	0-0	0-0	138	130			9/25	at Miss St	28-25	W	52	18	26	56	15	110
3-1	3-1	1-0	0-0	138	133		22	10/2	Auburn			55	18	25	4	43	8
	4-0		2-0		125			10/9	at Kentucky						31	29	77
	3-1		1-1		138			10/16	Florida						3	17	74
	3-0		0-0		145			10/23	at Mississippi						2	38	68
								10/30	Bye								
	4-0		1-0		154			11/6	at Alabama						9	11	1
	4-0		1-0		138			11/13	Arkansas						18	12	54
	2-1		1-0		99			11/20	ULM						130	117	106
	3-1		0-1		137			11/27	Texas A&M						43	3	21

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at UCLA	27-38	-91	5	0	24	25-49	2.0	26-46	330	2
McNeese	34-7	164	7	1	17	36-126	3.5	21-37	180	3
Central Michigan	49-21	200	6	1	23	24-84	3.5	27-39	400	1
at Miss St	28-25	-143	-14	1	15	27-63	2.3	17-27	280	2
Auburn										
at Kentucky										
Florida										
at Mississippi										
Bye										
at Alabama										
Arkansas										
ULM										
Texas A&M										
Average	35-23	32.5	1.0	0.8	20	28-81	2.9	61.1%	298	5.4%
Conference	28-25	-143.0	-14.0	1.0	15	27-63	2.3	63.0%	280	7.4%
Home	42-14	182.0	6.5	1.0	20	30-105	3.5	63.2%	290	5.3%

Score		Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at UCLA	27-38	19	47-210	4.5	9-16	260	4
McNeese	34-7	10	42-51	1.2	10-20	91	8
Central Michigan	49-21	17	31-56	1.8	25-39	228	5
at Miss St	28-25	29	26-115	4.4	47-62	371	1
Auburn							
at Kentucky							
Florida							
at Mississippi							
Bye							
at Alabama							
Arkansas							
ULM							
Texas A&M							
Average	35-23	19	37-108	3.0	66.4%	238	13.1%
Conference	28-25	29	26-115	4.4	75.8%	371	1.6%
Home	42-14	14	37-54	1.5	59.3%	160	22.0%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Auburn	-	64	48	23	44-206	18-26-300	
LSU	-	-1	11	20	27-32	28-48-315	-2
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Auburn	9	58.5	20	16	33-130	15-36-157	
LSU	2	-10.5	23	30	46-187	32-42-321	-1
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Auburn	7	-10	21	19	38-130	16-28-198	
LSU	12	44.5	22	21	42-121	15-35-249	2
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Auburn	10	-7	23	17	44-189	9-26-165	
LSU	-	45.5	27	14	39-157	13-25-206	-1
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Auburn	-	44.5	18	18	49-154	19-26-234	
LSU	18	-3.5	13	14	32-220	15-27-118	0

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing

Auburn		LSU
176 yards		110 yards

Projected Passing

Auburn		LSU
174 yards		301 yards

Projected Yardage Total

Auburn		LSU
350 yards		412 yards

Projected Final Score

Auburn		LSU
28 points		34 points

Experience Rankings

Auburn		LSU
96		61

Team Schedule Strength

Auburn		LSU
120		44

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Lsu By 3.5
Las Vegas Total	55.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Lsu By 10.5
Game Grade	Lsu By 2.8
Computer Yards	Lsu 412-350
Computer Points	Lsu 34-28
Phil Steele	Lsu by 7

Phil's Forecast:

Last year Auburn's 37-point margin made it the largest victory between the programs in history. LSU missed a FG and a pair of TO's gave Auburn two TD's on 4 yards of offense, 14-0. Aub went 99/8 for TD :40 left in half to lead 21-3 half with FD's 11-11. Auburn scored TD's on first 4 2H drives including 91 yd pass to Schwartz and LSU switched to backup QB Johnson and had 71/4 4Q drive TD trailing 48-3. LSU's historic loss — its worst since a 56-13 defeat at Florida. Last time here Auburn was outgained 508-287 yet gave LSU their closest game of the '19 season, only losing 23-20. LSU was stopped twice near the goal line and intercepted at the Aub 2 in the 4Q. The home team is 18-3 SU/14-6-1 ATS in this series. LSU lost at UCLA, was unimpressive vs McNeese but did beat CMich 49-21. Last week they had a revenge match vs Miss St and LSU was just 5 of 32 on 3rd down and Miss St had 486-343 yard edge. LSU led 7-3 at half and got 64 yd TD pass to Boutte 2nd play 3Q and added a 58 yd TD pass 21-3. Down 28-10 MST went 75/12 and 66/12 for TD's the 2nd with 1:53 left, LSU 28-25. Auburn won their first two games vs weak teams by a combined 122-10 then gave Penn St a tough game in a White Out and only lost 28-20 but will be prepared for the noise of Death Valley. Last week Auburn settled for 40, 23, 27 and 45 yd FG in 1H and GSt 297-230 yd edge with 3 TD and FG led 24-12. Auburn blk punt for TD 3Q 24-19 and pull Nix at QB. Finley hit 9-16-97 and led 98/13/2:38 drive with 4&9 10 yd TD pass as he escaped pressure to pull out win :45 left then misleading final with Smoke Monday 36 yd IR TD :31 left Auburn 34-24. QB Nix struggles on the road with a 12-12 ratio and while TJ Finley did start 5 games last year including 2 here in Death Valley he hit just 44% of his passes with a 3-4 ratio in his last 4 starts and this would be his first start with the Auburn offense.

LSU 27 Auburn 20

Michigan Wolverines

Wolverines Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	132	114			9/4	at Western Michigan	47-14	W	41	50	40	49	93	100
1-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	134	128			9/11	Washington	31-10	W	31	37	2	27	28	111
2-0	1-1	0-0	0-0	136	115	25		9/18	Northern Illinois	63-10	W	26	30	5	117	122	104
3-0	3-0	0-0	0-0	140	134	19		9/25	Rutgers	20-13	W	5	16	6	102	25	9
4-0	1-2	1-0	0-1	140	135	14		10/2	at Wisconsin			8	19	3	46	4	91
	2-3		0-2		131			10/9	at Nebraska						33	26	130
								10/16	Bye								
	2-2		0-1		123			10/23	Northwestern						53	86	76
	4-0		2-0		133			10/30	at Michigan St						27	58	87
	2-2		0-1		131			11/6	Indiana						82	37	28
	4-0		1-0		143			11/13	at Penn St						29	9	20
	4-0		1-0		127			11/20	at Maryland						13	16	35
	3-1		1-0		141			11/27	Ohio St						1	20	37

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Western Michigan	47-14	241	5	0	22	43-335	7.8	13-17	216	1	17	32-119	3.7	20-37	191	1
Washington	31-10	44	1	1	20	56-343	6.1	7-15	44	0	19	32-50	1.6	20-37	293	4
Northern Illinois	63-10	398	17	1	28	48-373	7.8	12-17	233	0	11	36-162	4.5	9-17	46	0
Rutgers	20-13	-77	-6	1	15	38-112	2.9	9-16	163	0	21	42-196	4.7	18-31	156	1
at Wisconsin																
at Nebraska																
Bye																
Northwestern																
at Michigan St																
Indiana																
at Penn St																
at Maryland																
Ohio St																
Average	40-12	151.5	4.3	0.8	21	46-291	6.3	63.1%	164	1.5%	17	36-132	3.7	54.9%	172	4.9%
Conference	20-13	-77.0	-6.0	1.0	15	38-112	2.9	56.3%	163	0.0%	21	42-196	4.7	58.1%	156	3.2%
Away	0-0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%

OVERALL:		OVERALL:
4-0		1-2
vs. BIG 10		vs. BIG 10
1-0		0-1
NCAA RANKINGS		
2021 TEAM RANKINGS		
Michigan		Wisconsin
#5	Rush Off	#34
#115	Pass Off	#92
#32	**Total Off**	**#66**
#16	Score Off	#111
#3	Sks Allowed	#16
#55	Rush Def	#1
#23	Pass Def	#37
#31	**Total Def**	**#2**
#4	Score Def	#55
#94	Sks By	#45
#19	Ypg Diff	#15
+3	**Total TO's**	**-7**

Michigan Wolverines | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Wisconsin Badgers**

Position by Position Edges	Michigan	Wisconsin
Michigan QB/WR vs. Wisconsin DB's	2.07	
Michigan RB's vs. Wisconsin LB's		0.14
Michigan OL vs. Wisconsin DL	1.37	
Michigan DL vs. Wisconsin OL		0.24
Michigan LB'S vs. Wisconsin RB's		0.03
Michigan DB's vs. Wisconsin QB/WR	2.32	
Michigan ST's vs. Wisconsin ST's	6.28	
Michigan K vs. Wisconsin K		0.30
Michigan Coaches vs. Wisconsin Coaches		0.30
Michigan Pts vs. Wisconsin Pts	10.11	2.94

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Michigan

By 7.17 Points

Wisconsin Badgers

Badgers Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	142	142	12	19	9/4	Penn St	10-16	L	23	16	83	18	12	9
0-1	1-0	0-1	0-0	139	120	18		9/11	Eastern Michigan	34-7	W	29	20	106	105	114	89
1-1		0-1		140		18		9/18	Bye			22	15	91			
1-1	3-0	0-1	0-0	140	135	18	12	9/25	† Notre Dame	13-41	L	22	8	79	34	12	29
1-2	4-0	0-1	1-0	135	140		14	10/2	Michigan			46	4	91	8	19	3
	1-4		1-2		121			10/9	at Illinois						96	73	57
	4-0		1-0		123			10/16	Army West Point						40	53	29
	3-1		1-0		128			10/23	at Purdue						61	30	67
	4-0		1-0		144			10/30	Iowa						104	2	5
	3-1		0-1		134			11/6	at Rutgers						98	23	6
	2-2		0-1		123			11/13	Northwestern						53	86	76
	2-3		0-2		131			11/20	Nebraska						33	26	130
	2-2		0-1		130			11/27	at Minnesota						79	39	78

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Penn St	10-16	62	18	-3	29	58-174	3.0	22-37	185	2	11	18-50	2.8	18-33	247	2
Eastern Michigan	34-7	426	23	0	26	55-352	6.4	16-20	166	1	3	18-16	0.9	10-20	76	2
Bye																
† Notre Dame	13-41	72	-1	-4	16	28-74	2.6	18-41	240	1	17	32-3	0.1	21-37	239	6
Michigan																
at Illinois																
Army West Point																
at Purdue																
Iowa																
at Rutgers																
Northwestern																
Nebraska																
at Minnesota																
Average	19-21	186.7	13.3	-2.3	24	47-200	4.3	57.1%	197	4.1%	10	23-23	1.0	54.4%	187	11.1%
Conference	10-16	62.0	18.0	-3.0	29	58-174	3.0	59.5%	185	5.4%	11	18-50	2.8	54.5%	247	6.1%
Home	22-12	244.0	20.5	-1.5	28	57-263	4.7	66.7%	176	5.3%	7	18-33	1.8	52.8%	162	7.5%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Michigan	-	52	11	10	19-47	13-26-172	
Wisconsin	13	-6.5	49	26	51-341	12-22-127	2
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Michigan	11	44.5	14	15	19-40	17-42-259	
Wisconsin	13	-3.5	35	25	57-359	13-16-128	4
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Michigan	12	-9.5	38	21	48-324	14-20-124	
Wisconsin	15	49	13	11	29-183	7-20-100	-2
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Michigan	19	41.5	10	13	37-58	11-26-176	
Wisconsin	5	-7	24	14	40-182	9-19-143	0
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Michigan	4	-10.5	14	21	44-130	20-32-219	
Wisconsin	8	44.5	7	8	28-71	9-25-88	-2

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Projected Box Score

Michigan		Wisconsin
	Projected Rushing	
128 yards		210 yards
	Projected Passing	
127 yards		195 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
255 yards		405 yards
	Projected Final Score	
23 points		16 points
	Experience Rankings	
120		60
	Team Schedule Strength	
16		2

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Wisconsin By 1.5
Las Vegas Total	43.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Wisconsin By 0.3
Game Grade	Wisconsin By 3.2
Computer Yards	Wisconsin 405-255
Computer Points	Michigan 23-16
Phil Steele	Wisconsin by 10

Phil's Forecast:

Michigan leads the series 51-17-1. Last time here ('19), the Badgers jumped all over the Wolverines as UM fell behind 35-0 late 3Q as Michigan fell to 1-6 on the road vs ranked opponents under HC Harbaugh. UW has won 5 of the last 7 including the last 2. Last year the Badgers led 28-0 at H - Michigan's largest HT deficit at home since the Big House opened (1927) - in a 49-11 blowout win ('-6'). Wisconsin ran for 341 yards as UM was missing both starting OT's and both starting DE's. Michigan is 6-12 ATS as an AD the last 11 years and this is their first road game. Paul Chryst is just 15-21-1 ATS as a HF with the Badgers. Wisconsin had a 29-11 FD edge but lost at home to Penn St. They had a 26-3 FD edge vs EMich but needed a drop pass in the EZ on the last play to cover by a half point. Last week they had a showdown in Chicago and I used ND +6' as a Best Bet. ND dominated the 1H with 12-3 FD edge and 150-88 yd edge but only led 10-3. UW got a 3Q TD and had a13-10 lead in 4Q but ND KR TD. ND recovered a fumble to set up a TD and added two IR TD's in the final 2:13 for a misleading 41-14 ND win as UW 318-242 yd edge. Michigan had a dominant start to the season and was #2 in my AGG at 124.5 after going 3-0 both SU and ATS. Last week they opened Big Ten play and Michigan entered with 350 ypg rush but was outrushed by Rutgers 196-112. UM had 20-3 lead at half with 233-121 yard edge (Rut SOD at 32) but had 0 FD 1st 4 poss 2H. Rutgers down 20-13 miss 29 yd FG, SOD Mich 38 5:24. UM 33/8 miss FG but Rutgers lost first fumble of year 1:37 left. Rutgers finish 21-15 FD 352-275 yd edge. Besides the fact that UW dominated the last two meetings and is a desperate 1-2 vs a 4-0 team that fares poorly on the road, I love the fact that UW allows just 23 ypg rush (1.0) and Michigan must run the ball for its offense to be successful. My computer may have Michigan winning outright 24-16 but the yardage forecast shows Wisconsin with a 405-257 yard edge!

Best Bet: ★★ Wisconsin 23 Michigan 13

Miss St Bulldogs

Bulldogs Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	132	110			9/4	Louisiana Tech	35-34	W	50	28	51	111	87	98
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	128	133			9/11	NC State	24-10	W	46	30	96	30	12	40
2-0	2-0	0-0	0-0	132	125			9/18	at Memphis	29-31	L	49	24	59	18	57	12
2-1	2-1	0-0	0-0	130	138			9/25	LSU	25-28	L	56	15	110	52	18	26
2-2	3-1	0-1	0-1	130	137		15	10/2	at Texas A&M			47	14	111	43	3	21
								10/9	Bye								
	4-0		1-0		154			10/16	Alabama						9	11	1
	1-3		0-1		107			10/23	at Vanderbilt						119	111	102
	4-0		2-0		125			10/30	Kentucky						31	29	77
	4-0		1-0		138			11/6	at Arkansas						18	12	54
	3-1		0-0		133			11/13	at Auburn						4	43	8
								11/20	Tennessee St								
	3-0		0-0		145			11/27	Mississippi						2	38	68

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Louisiana Tech	35-34	66	8	-2	22	19-65	3.4	39-47	370	3	14	25-101	4.0	21-37	268	1
NC State	24-10	-19	-1	3	15	15-22	1.5	33-49	294	1	16	25-32	1.3	30-51	303	4
at Memphis	29-31	222	14	0	26	16-49	3.1	50-67	419	2	12	25-87	3.5	16-28	159	1
LSU	25-28	144	14	-1	29	26-116	4.5	47-62	371	1	15	27-63	2.3	17-27	280	2
at Texas A&M																
Bye																
Alabama																
at Vanderbilt																
Kentucky																
at Arkansas																
at Auburn																
Tennessee St																
Mississippi																
Average	28-26	103.3	8.8	0.0	23	19-63	3.3	75.1%	364	3.1%	14	26-71	2.8	58.7%	253	5.6%
Conference	25-28	144.0	14.0	-1.0	29	26-116	4.5	75.8%	371	1.6%	15	27-63	2.3	63.0%	280	7.4%
Away	29-31	222.0	14.0	0.0	26	16-49	3.1	74.6%	419	3.0%	12	25-87	3.5	57.1%	159	3.6%

OVERALL: 2-2 vs. SEC 0-1

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Miss St		Texas A&M
#128	Rush Off	#56
#6	Pass Off	#71
#49	**Total Off**	**#69**
#72	Score Off	#97
#51	Sks Allowed	#81
#8	Rush Def	#89
#98	Pass Def	#4
#43	**Total Def**	**#21**
#79	Score Def	#2
#74	Sks By	#25
#38	Ypg Diff	#35
0	**Total TO's**	**-4**

Miss St Bulldogs | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Texas A&M Aggies**

Position by Position Edges

Miss St		Texas A&M
	Miss St QB/WR vs. Texas A&M DB's	1.57
	Miss St RB's vs. Texas A&M LB's	3.24
	Miss St OL vs. Texas A&M DL	1.37
0.57	Miss St DL vs. Texas A&M OL	
0.50	Miss St LB'S vs. Texas A&M RB's	
1.37	Miss St DB's vs. Texas A&M QB/WR	
	Miss St ST's vs. Texas A&M ST's	3.54
	Miss St K vs. Texas A&M K	1.90
	Miss St Coaches vs. Texas A&M Coaches	1.40
2.44	Miss St Pts vs. Texas A&M Pts	13.02

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO: Texas A&M

By 10.58 Points

Texas A&M Aggies

Aggies Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	143	121	6		9/4	Kent St	41-10	W	14	6	36	54	123	127
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	144	118	5		9/11	† Colorado	10-7	W	7	5	33	58	45	66
2-0	2-0	0-0	0-0	140	110	7		9/18	New Mexico	34-0	W	21	5	42	76	109	96
3-0	3-0	0-0	0-0	140	135	7	16	9/25	† Arkansas	10-20	L	28	2	27	19	22	47
3-1	2-2	0-1	0-1	137	130	15		10/2	Miss St			43	3	21	47	14	111
	4-0		1-0		154			10/9	Alabama						9	11	1
	2-2		0-1		124			10/16	at Missouri						20	81	15
	2-2		0-2		118			10/23	South Carolina						78	40	47
								10/30	Bye								
	3-1		0-0		133			11/6	Auburn						4	43	8
	3-0		0-0		145			11/13	at Mississippi						2	38	68
								11/20	Prairie View A&M								
	3-1		1-0		138			11/27	at LSU						55	18	25

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Kent St	41-10	259	10	-3	29	42-303	7.2	21-34	292	2	19	45-226	5.0	14-30	110	5
† Colorado	10-7	28	0	0	14	29-97	3.3	19-40	191	1	14	38-171	4.5	13-25	89	1
New Mexico	34-0	307	13	0	22	34-154	4.5	19-33	275	3	9	36-89	2.5	10-23	33	4
† Arkansas	10-20	-171	-5	-1	15	23-121	5.3	20-36	151	3	20	49-197	4.0	9-19	246	2
Miss St																
Alabama																
at Missouri																
South Carolina																
Bye																
Auburn																
at Mississippi																
Prairie View A&M																
at LSU																
Average	24-9	105.8	4.5	-1.0	20	32-169	5.3	55.2%	227	6.3%	16	42-171	4.1	47.4%	120	12.4%
Conference	10-20	-171.0	-5.0	-1.0	15	23-121	5.3	55.6%	151	8.3%	20	49-197	4.0	47.4%	246	10.5%
Home	38-5	283.0	11.5	-1.5	26	38-229	6.0	59.7%	284	7.5%	14	41-158	3.9	45.3%	72	17.0%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Mississippi St	-	56	14	15	20--2	30-40-219	
Texas A&M	11	-4.5	28	17	34-186	13-23-139	1
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Mississippi St	-	50	30	22	38-239	13-30-194	
Texas A&M	-	-10.5	49	24	39-207	17-23-234	3
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Mississippi St	-	-1.5	28	15	31-143	14-22-241	
Texas A&M	16	43.5	13	19	22-61	23-46-232	-1
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Mississippi St	-	-2.5	35	19	52-228	12-21-141	
Texas A&M	-	55	14	15	28-96	16-41-189	-2
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Mississippi St	-	62	35	29	58-365	18-31-209	
Texas A&M	7	-10.5	28	14	32-117	16-31-265	0

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Projected Box Score

	Projected Rushing	
18 yards	Miss St	Texas A&M 137 yards
	Projected Passing	
250 yards	Miss St	Texas A&M 228 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
268 yards	Miss St	Texas A&M 365 yards
	Projected Final Score	
10 points	Miss St	Texas A&M 23 points
	Experience Rankings	
93	Miss St	Texas A&M 111
	Team Schedule Strength	
9	Miss St	Texas A&M 19

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Texas A&M By 7
Las Vegas Total	46 Points
+/- Ratings	Texas A&M By 11.8
Game Grade	Texas A&M By 9.5
Computer Yards	Texas A&M 365-268
Computer Points	Texas A&M 23-10
Phil Steele	Texas A&M by 14

Phil's Forecast:

Last time here in '19 MSU had come in with 3 straight losses while A&M was off a win. Aggies scored TD's off 3 MSU TO's and led 35-10 3Q. The Bulldogs were only outgained 441-433 in 49-30 loss. This series has been split 7-7 with A&M winning the last 2. The home team is 5-2 SU/ATS. A&M is 17-3 SU/13-7 ATS at Kyle Field and they've won their last 9 home games. Last year Texas A&M did have a 1 yard TD drive after a blocked punt and led 14-0 at half but controlled this game leading 28-7 with Miss St's only score on deflected pass that went back 15 yds and was ret'd 51 yds for IR TD. MSt backup QB Rogers led a 4Q TD drive for first off score in 28 drives for Bulldogs. A&M ended the game at MSt 1 taking a knee. Texas A&M lost QB Haynes King week two but opened 3-0 with Calzada leading a late TD drive to get past Colorado. Last week they Arkansas dominated early with 229 yds passing at half vs an A&M team allowing 77 ypg passing. They got a 85 yd TD pass to Burks then 48 yd TD pass to Green when LB pushed him towards EZ at 20 instead of tackling him. Ark was SOD on 4&1 2:29 and A&M 46/9 for 49 yd FG :00 17-3. Spiller 67 yd TD run 7:51 3Q 17-10. A&M int'd & Ark FG 8:39. A&M last 2 drives punt and SOD. Ark 443-273 yds. Miss St trailed LTech 34-14 4Q but rallied for a win then at home with the cowbells led NCSt 24-3 before allowing a late TD. They outgained Memphis 468-246 on the road but gave up a fumble return TD and questionable PRET TD and lost by 2. Last week LSU was just 5 of 32 on 3rd down and Miss St had 486-343 yard edge. LSU led 7-3 at half and got 64 yd TD pass to Boutte 2nd play 3Q and added a 58 yd TD pass 21-3. Down 28-10 MST went 75/12 and 66/12 for TD's the 2nd with 1:53 left, LSU 28-25. A&M does have a major game vs Alabama on deck but they are off a loss and there will be no look ahead. Texas A&M has my #3 rated pass defense allowing just 47.4% with a 2-4 ratio and that is the only way Miss St travels.

Texas A&M 24 Mississippi St 10

Arkansas St Red Wolves

Red Wolves Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		110				9/4	Central Arkansas	40-21	W	86	112	66			
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	111	126			9/11	Memphis	50-55	L	77	107	83	35	66	1
1-1	0-2	0-0	0-0	112	126			9/18	at Washington	3-52	L	59	111	90	31	29	125
1-2	0-3	0-0	0-0	108	124			9/25	at Tulsa	34-41	L	78	113	83	63	72	117
1-3	1-3	0-0	0-1	110	127			10/2	at GA Southern			90	120	53	113	121	63
	4-0		0-0		127			10/7	Coastal Carolina						11	89	44
								10/16	Bye								
	3-1		1-0		127			10/21	Louisiana						62	91	2
	3-0		0-0		105			10/30	at South Alabama						102	74	72
	3-1		0-0		127			11/6	Appalachian St						32	47	9
	2-1		1-0		99			11/13	at ULM						130	117	106
	1-3		0-0		116			11/20	at Georgia St						108	112	121
	1-3		0-0		104			11/27	Texas St						118	114	69

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Central Arkansas	40-21	175	10	1	25	39-194	5.0	28-38	319	3	15	20-42	2.1	23-42	296	1
Memphis	50-55	0	11	2	35	32-98	3.1	42-66	582	2	24	37-263	7.1	22-33	417	4
at Washington	3-52	-330	-15	0	15	23-48	2.1	22-49	220	3	30	39-200	5.1	25-44	398	1
at Tulsa	34-41	-304	-6	-1	20	26-38	1.5	23-37	321	6	26	49-308	6.3	17-25	355	3
at GA Southern																
Coastal Carolina																
Bye																
Louisiana																
at South Alabama																
Appalachian St																
at ULM																
at Georgia St																
Texas St																
Average	32-42	-114.8	0.0	0.5	24	30-95	3.2	60.5%	361	7.4%	24	36-203	5.6	60.4%	367	6.3%
Conference	0-0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Away	19-47	-317.0	-10.5	-0.5	18	25-43	1.8	52.3%	271	10.5%	28	44-254	5.8	60.9%	377	5.8%

OVERALL: 1-3 vs. SUN 0-0

OVERALL: 1-3 vs. SUN 0-1

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Arkansas St		Ga Southern
#117	Rush Off	#15
#7	Pass Off	#123
#30	**Total Off**	**#93**
#53	Score Off	#122
#115	Sks Allowed	#38
#113	Rush Def	#87
#129	Pass Def	#123
#129	**Total Def**	**#125**
#126	Score Def	#115
#58	Sks By	#58
#118	Ypg Diff	#122
+2	**Total TO's**	**-3**

Arkansas St Red Wolves | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Ga Southern Eagles**

Position by Position Edges

Arkansas St		Ga Southern
2.92	Arkansas St QB/WR vs. Ga Southern DB's	
	Arkansas St RB's vs. Ga Southern LB's	1.57
	Arkansas St OL vs. Ga Southern DL	0.55
	Arkansas St DL vs. Ga Southern OL	0.79
	Arkansas St LB'S vs. Ga Southern RB's	1.06
0.15	Arkansas St DB's vs. Ga Southern QB/WR	
1.44	Arkansas St ST's vs. Ga Southern ST's	
0.50	Arkansas St K vs. Ga Southern K	
1.75	Arkansas St Coaches vs. Ga Southern Coaches	
6.77	Arkansas St Pts vs. Ga Southern Pts	3.97

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Arkansas St

By 2.80 Points

Ga Southern Eagles

Eagles Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		119				9/4	Gardner-Webb	30-25	W	104	86	90			
1-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	115	116			9/11	at Florida Atlantic	6-38	L	99	87	35	101	44	113
1-1	2-0	0-0	0-0	111	133		20	9/18	at Arkansas	10-45	L	106	92	57	45	26	46
1-2	2-1	0-0	0-0	109	129			9/25	Louisiana	20-28	L	115	115	42	64	81	4
1-3	1-3	0-1	0-0	111	110			10/2	Arkansas St			113	121	63	90	120	53
	2-2		0-1		119			10/9	at Troy						105	67	94
	3-0		0-0		105			10/16	at South Alabama						102	74	72
								10/23	Bye								
	1-3		0-0		116			10/30	Georgia St						108	112	121
	4-0		0-0		130			11/6	Coastal Carolina						11	89	44
	1-3		0-0		104			11/13	at Texas St						118	114	69
	4-0		0-0		130			11/20	BYU						63	101	31
	3-1		0-0		127			11/27	at Appalachian St						32	47	9

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Gardner-Webb	30-25	73	5	0	25	65-365	5.6	12-20	135	0	20	19-62	3.3	28-46	365	3
at Florida Atlantic	6-38	-284	-10	-2	17	38-139	3.7	14-24	118	1	27	44-209	4.8	19-29	332	5
at Arkansas	10-45	-400	-16	0	11	35-152	4.3	13-28	81	2	27	48-269	5.6	14-25	364	0
Louisiana	20-28	75	5	-1	23	57-278	4.9	11-24	175	3	18	32-129	4.0	17-28	249	1
Arkansas St																
at Troy																
at South Alabama																
Bye																
Georgia St																
Coastal Carolina																
at Texas St																
BYU																
at Appalachian St																
Average	17-34	-134.0	-4.0	-0.8	19	49-234	4.8	52.1%	127	6.3%	23	36-167	4.7	60.9%	328	7.0%
Conference	20-28	75.0	5.0	-1.0	23	57-278	4.9	45.8%	175	12.5%	18	32-129	4.0	60.7%	249	3.6%
Home	25-27	74.0	5.0	-0.5	24	61-322	5.3	52.3%	155	6.8%	19	26-96	3.7	60.8%	307	5.4%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2019	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Arkansas St	-	-1	38	21	32-91	19-24-354	
Georgia Southern	-	54.5	33	23	50-299	15-26-182	0
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Arkansas St	-	-3.5	21	28	36-117	38-51-376	
Georgia Southern	-	54	28	15	49-348	1-3-61	1
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Arkansas St	-	-7.5	43	19	35-65	12-26-316	
Georgia Southern	-	55	25	24	63-333	10-18-160	1
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Arkansas St	-	54.5	27	27	49-343	16-28-182	
Georgia Southern	-	-8	26	16	45-162	14-23-203	5

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Projected Box Score

Arkansas St		Ga Southern
	Projected Rushing	
78 yards	Arkansas St	Ga Southern 294 yards
	Projected Passing	
426 yards	Arkansas St	Ga Southern 197 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
503 yards	Arkansas St	Ga Southern 491 yards
	Projected Final Score	
36 points	Arkansas St	Ga Southern 33 points
	Experience Rankings	
64	Arkansas St	Ga Southern 107
	Team Schedule Strength	
39	Arkansas St	Ga Southern 86

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Ga Southern By 2
Las Vegas Total	66 Points
+/- Ratings	Ga Southern By 4.8
Game Grade	Arkansas St By 6.8
Computer Yards	Arkansas St 503-491
Computer Points	Arkansas St 36-33
Phil Steele	Ga Southern by 4

Phil's Forecast:

As SBC foes Ark St is 3-1 SU/ATS. Last meeting was in '19 when Ark St (-1) won 38-33 at home despite getting outgained 445-481 (KR TD). Ark St is on a 7-2 SU/ATS in SBC road openers. First met back in 1986 in the FCS national title game (GSthrn won 48-21). Since '18 GSthrn is 9-4 SU/9-4x ATS in home SBC games. This is the 3rd straight road game for ASU with a first year head coach while GSthrn is in 2nd straight home game. Georgia Southern opened up 0-3 ATS and were without QB Tomlin the first two games. Last week GSthrn went 83/16 for TD on open drive led 7-0 after 1Q. ULL 85/6, 59/10 TD's 14-7 then SOD 4&1 own 45 4:40 GST 45/4 TD miss xp ULL 14-13 H. ULL open 3Q 68/5 TD then GS int at 8 ULL 92/5 TD led 28-13. GST SOD at 34 & 37 next 2 drives then 76 yd TD run 13:26 28-20. GS then 40/8 SOD 40 and 44/12 SOD 38 last 2 drives. Despite playing a powerful ULL closer than expected they fired coach Lunsford??? Ark St trailed Memphis 55-36 getting a pair of late TD's to cover then took on a desperate 0-2 Washington and then a desperate 0-3 Tulsa last week and Tulsa had a commanding 663-359 yard edge but only beat Ark St 41-34. ASt had 63 yd PR TD but trail 24-14 H. On 3&G from 6 Tulsa int'd in EZ in 3Q. Ark St added a KR TD. Up 41-34 Tulsa 1&G at 1 and took a knee :00. Ark St is playing to an AGG of 85.3 and Georgia Southern 74.3. I like the situation and matchup for Georgia Southern in this but don't know how the team will react to the strange firing of Lunsford.

Georgia Southern 37 Arkansas St 33

UNLV Rebels

Rebels Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		105				9/4	Eastern Washington	33-35	L	119	122	121			
0-1	1-0	0-0	0-0	106	131		23	9/11	at Arizona St	10-37	L	120	122	57	15	26	13
0-2	1-1	0-0	0-0	106	141		14	9/18	Iowa St	3-48	L	120	125	83	10	18	121
0-3	3-1	0-0	0-0	104	131		22	9/25	at Fresno St	30-38	L	126	126	98	22	64	95
0-4	4-0	0-1	1-0	108	129			10/2	at UTSA			124	124	104	64	50	11
								10/9	Bye								
	3-1		1-1		116			10/16	Utah St						38	103	34
	2-2		1-0		117			10/23	San Jose St						115	46	79
	2-1		0-0		125			10/30	at Nevada						67	90	50
	2-2		0-0		107			11/6	at New Mexico						107	57	86
	2-3		0-1		114			11/13	Hawaii						76	69	70
	4-0		0-0		126			11/20	San Diego St						73	24	16
	3-1		0-1		124			11/27	at Air Force						56	82	128

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Eastern Washington	33-35	-132	-5	1	17	44-199	4.5	12-23	140	4	22	34-97	2.9	29-39	374	3
at Arizona St	10-37	-307	-18	1	11	32-88	2.8	7-19	67	5	29	47-287	6.1	20-29	175	1
Iowa St	3-48	-363	-20	0	7	31-36	1.2	10-19	94	3	27	37-184	5.0	23-30	309	0
at Fresno St	30-38	-28	-5	0	18	36-152	4.2	15-28	281	4	23	23-83	3.6	30-42	378	1
at UTSA																
Bye																
Utah St																
San Jose St																
at Nevada																
at New Mexico																
Hawaii																
San Diego St																
at Air Force																
Average	19-40	-207.5	-12.0	0.5	13	36-119	3.3	49.4%	146	18.0%	25	35-163	4.6	72.9%	309	3.6%
Conference	30-38	-28.0	-5.0	0.0	18	36-152	4.2	53.6%	281	14.3%	23	23-83	3.6	71.4%	378	2.4%
Away	20-38	-167.5	-11.5	0.5	15	34-120	3.5	46.8%	174	19.1%	26	35-185	5.3	70.4%	277	2.8%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
0-4	4-0
vs. MTW	vs. CUSA
0-1	1-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

UNLV		UTSA
#106	Rush Off	#52
#118	Pass Off	#43
#125	**Total Off**	**#37**
#111	Score Off	#30
#120	Sks Allowed	#38
#84	Rush Def	#15
#121	Pass Def	#48
#122	**Total Def**	**#17**
#123	Score Def	#27
#104	Sks By	#82
#127	Ypg Diff	#18
+2	**Total TO's**	**+2**

UNLV Rebels | TEAM AVERAGES | UTSA Roadrunners

Position by Position Edges

UNLV		UTSA
	UNLV QB/WR vs. UTSA DB's	1.39
	UNLV RB's vs. UTSA LB's	1.42
	UNLV OL vs. UTSA DL	2.15
	UNLV DL vs. UTSA OL	1.25
	UNLV LB'S vs. UTSA RB's	0.25
	UNLV DB's vs. UTSA QB/WR	1.92
	UNLV ST's vs. UTSA ST's	6.78
0.15	UNLV K vs. UTSA K	
	UNLV Coaches vs. UTSA Coaches	0.60
0.15	UNLV Pts vs. UTSA Pts	15.75

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

UTSA

By 15.60 Points

UTSA Roadrunners

Roadrunners Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	1-0	0-0	1-0	124	127			9/4	at Illinois	37-30	W	70	59	34	75	95	44
1-0		0-0		127				9/11	Lamar	54-0	W	68	64	95			
2-0	1-1	0-0	0-0	127	119			9/18	Middle Tennessee	27-13	W	52	69	14	97	101	112
3-0	3-0	1-0	0-0	127	127			9/25	at Memphis	31-28	W	62	52	14	13	69	3
4-0	0-4	1-0	0-1	129	108			10/2	UNLV			64	50	11	124	124	104
	1-2		0-0		119			10/9	at WKU						65	95	41
	1-3		0-0		103			10/16	Rice						109	119	123
	2-2		1-0		113			10/23	at Louisiana Tech						101	98	108
								10/30	Bye								
	3-1		0-0		104			11/6	at UTEP						75	72	88
	1-3		0-0		111			11/13	Southern Miss						125	88	65
	3-1		1-0		128			11/20	UAB						70	31	85
	1-3		0-2		102			11/27	at North Texas						83	113	61

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Illinois	37-30	85	2	0	26	50-217	4.3	20-32	280	1	24	35-146	4.2	22-43	266	0
Lamar	54-0	305	10	2	20	29-106	3.7	26-32	321	1	10	36-89	2.5	6-13	33	0
Middle Tennessee	27-13	253	12	-1	23	44-175	4.0	26-45	277	2	11	25-8	0.3	14-30	191	5
at Memphis	31-28	-8	9	1	25	62-205	3.3	19-30	194	2	16	32-78	2.4	15-25	329	2
UNLV																
at WKU																
Rice																
at Louisiana Tech																
Bye																
at UTEP																
Southern Miss																
UAB																
at North Texas																
Average	37-18	158.8	8.3	0.5	24	46-176	3.8	65.5%	268	4.3%	15	32-80	2.5	51.4%	205	6.3%
Conference	27-13	253.0	12.0	-1.0	23	44-175	4.0	57.8%	277	4.4%	11	25-8	0.3	46.7%	191	16.7%
Home	41-7	279.0	11.0	0.5	22	37-141	3.8	67.5%	299	3.9%	11	31-49	1.6	46.5%	112	11.6%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing

	UNLV	UTSA	
67 yards	UNLV	UTSA	207 yards

Projected Passing

	UNLV	UTSA	
152 yards	UNLV	UTSA	247 yards

Projected Yardage Total

	UNLV	UTSA	
219 yards	UNLV	UTSA	454 yards

Projected Final Score

	UNLV	UTSA	
13 points	UNLV	UTSA	39 points

Experience Rankings

	UNLV	UTSA	
77	UNLV	UTSA	2

Team Schedule Strength

	UNLV	UTSA	
25	UNLV	UTSA	115

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Utsa By 21
Las Vegas Total	56.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Utsa By 23.8
Game Grade	Utsa By 28.4
Computer Yards	Utsa 454-219
Computer Points	Utsa 39-13
Phil Steele	Utsa by 23

Phil's Forecast:

1st meeting. UNLV is 13-6 all-time vs current CUSA foes. Their last meeting vs a CUSA school was in '18 when UNLV won 52-24 (533-388, +3 TO's) vs UTEP. Since '15 UNLV is 10-1 ATS in non-conf FBS road games. RoadRunners are 1-6 SU but 4-3 ATS vs MW foes. Only win came in '13 against New Mexico. UTSA has won 6 of their last 8 non-conference home games vs non-Power-5 foes. UTSA opened the year 3-0 SU and ATS winning by 25 ppg including a 37-30 win at Illinois. Last week they traveled to Memphis and UTSA at own 14 fumbled and Mem fell on it for TD then went 62/8 for TD and after going for it on 4&1 own 28 hit a 60 yd TD pass next play for 21-0 lead after 1Q. UTSA went 87/12 for TD 21-7 H. Mem miss 52 yd FG UTSA 66/11 TD. MEM 73/7 TD 28-14 2:44. UTSA 75/9 TD. Mem fumble twice in own terr but UTSA SOD then 36/9 4&1 TD 4:23 Mem punt 2:46 and UTSA 47/9 for 42 yd FG :00 for 31-28 road upset. UNLV opened 0-3 including a home loss to EWash. They did only lose at Ariz St by 27 (+34). Last week Fresno was off their upset of UCLA and UNLV scored on first 2 poss and to lead 14-0 and it was 21-9 after a screen pass went 80 yds for TD on 1st play of 3Q. Fresno went 68/8, 80/4 & 85/7 for TD's to lead 29-21 but UNLV got a TD and FG to lead 30-29 6:38 Fresno 26 yd TD pass 4:53 then 31 yd FG 2:29 and pulled out 38-30 home win (-30). UTSA is playing to an AGG of 101.9 and UNLV at just 74.5 (UTSA by 30).

UTSA 39 UNLV 16

Southern Miss Golden Eagles

Golden Eagles Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	116	106			9/4	at South Alabama	7-31	L	102	80	46	122	107	105
0-1		0-0		111				9/11	Grambling St	37-0	W	113	81	88			
1-1	1-1	0-0	0-0	112	124			9/18	Troy	9-21	L	114	76	17	84	81	102
1-2	3-0	0-0	1-0	112	153		1	9/25	at Alabama	14-63	L	119	64	23	15	7	1
1-3	1-3	0-0	0-0	111	103			10/2	at Rice			125	88	65	109	119	123
	3-1		0-0		104			10/9	UTEP						75	72	88
	3-1		1-0		128			10/16	UAB						70	31	85
								10/23	Bye								
	1-3		0-2		116			10/30	at Middle Tennessee						116	104	116
	1-3		0-2		102			11/6	North Texas						83	113	61
	4-0		1-0		129			11/13	at UTSA						64	50	11
	2-2		1-0		113			11/20	at Louisiana Tech						101	98	108
	1-3		0-0		108			11/27	FIU						84	99	26

Score	Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at South Alabama 7-31	-42	6	-3	19	45-125	2.8	13-29	133	4	13	34-31	0.9	17-22	269	3
Grambling St 37-0	298	13	0	22	49-290	5.9	14-24	149	3	9	27-51	1.9	16-32	90	2
Troy 9-21	-148	-3	0	14	39--1	0.0	16-27	157	9	17	32-49	1.5	27-40	255	4
at Alabama 14-63	-393	-11	0	11	33-82	2.5	11-24	131	2	22	33-211	6.4	23-26	395	2
at Rice															
UTEP															
UAB															
Bye															
at Middle Tennessee															
North Texas															
at UTSA															
at Louisiana Tech															
FIU															
Average 17-29	-71.3	1.3	-0.8	17	42-124	3.0	51.9%	143	17.3%	15	32-86	2.7	69.2%	252	9.2%
Conference 0-0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Away 11-47	-217.5	-2.5	-1.5	15	39-104	2.7	45.3%	132	11.3%	18	34-121	3.6	83.3%	332	10.4%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
1-3	1-3
vs. CUSA	vs. CUSA
0-0	0-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Southern Miss		Rice
#101	Rush Off	#50
#119	Pass Off	#106
#124	**Total Off**	**#96**
#121	Score Off	#115
#124	Sks Allowed	#92
#19	Rush Def	#120
#97	Pass Def	#75
#55	**Total Def**	**#119**
#90	Score Def	#127
#34	Sks By	#82
#108	Ypg Diff	#114
-3	**Total TO's**	**-7**

Southern Miss Golden Eagles | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Rice Owls**

Position by Position Edges

Southern Miss		Rice
	Southern Miss QB/WR vs. Rice DB's	0.52
	Southern Miss RB's vs. Rice LB's	0.50
0.58	Southern Miss OL vs. Rice DL	
1.05	Southern Miss DL vs. Rice OL	
0.53	Southern Miss LB'S vs. Rice RB's	
	Southern Miss DB's vs. Rice QB/WR	0.15
1.55	Southern Miss ST's vs. Rice ST's	
0.90	Southern Miss K vs. Rice K	
	Southern Miss Coaches vs. Rice Coaches	1.00
4.61	Southern Miss Pts vs. Rice Pts	2.18

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Southern Miss

By 2.43 Points

Rice Owls

Owls Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	117	127			9/4	at Arkansas	17-38	L	123	105	81	52	31	111
0-1	0-1	0-0	0-0	116	118			9/11	Houston	7-44	L	122	102	103	83	53	58
0-2	1-1	0-0	0-0	111	135			9/18	at Texas	0-58	L	121	106	123	30	45	97
0-3		0-0		107				9/25	Texas Southern	48-34	W	124	118	127			
1-3	1-3	0-0	0-0	103	111			10/2	Southern Miss			109	119	123	125	88	65
								10/9	Bye								
	4-0		1-0		129			10/16	at UTSA						64	50	11
	3-1		1-0		128			10/23	at UAB						70	31	85
	1-3		0-2		102			10/30	North Texas						83	113	61
	3-1		1-0		111			11/6	at Charlotte						57	118	97
	1-2		0-0		119			11/13	WKU						65	95	41
	3-1		0-0		104			11/20	at UTEP						75	72	88
	2-2		1-0		113			11/27	Louisiana Tech						101	98	108

Score	Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Arkansas 17-38	-65	1	-2	19	39-81	2.1	17-35	227	2	18	44-245	5.6	12-21	128	2
Houston 7-44	-181	-8	-3	15	36-126	3.5	9-19	86	4	23	35-144	4.1	23-33	249	3
at Texas 0-58	-336	-12	0	14	32-156	4.9	19-24	128	3	26	41-427	10.4	17-21	193	0
Texas Southern 48-34	159	9	-2	30	52-349	6.7	18-23	271	1	21	35-104	3.0	20-36	357	2
Southern Miss															
Bye															
at UTSA															
at UAB															
North Texas															
at Charlotte															
WKU															
at UTEP															
Louisiana Tech															
Average 18-44	-105.8	-2.5	-1.8	20	40-178	4.5	62.4%	178	9.9%	22	39-230	5.9	64.9%	232	6.3%
Conference 0-0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Home 28-39	-11.0	0.5	-2.5	23	44-238	5.4	64.3%	179	11.9%	22	35-124	3.5	62.3%	303	7.2%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Southern Miss	-	-1	6	11	28-100	17-23-169	
Rice	-	59	30	22	50-179	12-17-233	2
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Southern Miss	-	-10	20	18	35-157	23-36-207	
Rice	-	51.5	6	14	30-8	14-31-131	0
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Southern Miss	-	-14	40	25	31-138	25-34-428	
Rice	-	54	22	12	29-137	13-26-125	-1
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Southern Miss	-	-10.5	43	28	36-186	22-31-331	
Rice	-	48.5	34	26	49-254	10-16-127	0
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Southern Miss	-	-26	44	23	34-111	25-36-591	
Rice	-	59	28	19	45-180	16-20-166	3

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Projected Box Score

Southern Miss		Rice
	Projected Rushing	
169 yards	Southern Miss	139 yards
	Projected Passing	
145 yards	Southern Miss	211 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
314 yards	Southern Miss	351 yards
	Projected Final Score	
29 points	Southern Miss	22 points
	Experience Rankings	
50	Southern Miss	81
	Team Schedule Strength	
90	Southern Miss	53

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Rice By 2.5
Las Vegas Total	45 Points
+/- Ratings	S Miss By 5.5
Game Grade	Rice By 1.6
Computer Yards	Rice 351-314
Computer Points	S Miss 29-22
Phil Steele	S Miss by 8

Phil's Forecast:

Rice had lost last 5 against SM until they pulled an upset in last year's season opener. 8 of last 9 meetings decided by at least 2 TD's. Owls are 2-12 SU/5-9 ATS at home vs CUSA foes the L3Y. Last time here SM was off a loss and Rice was 0-7. Golden Eagles held Rice to 55 yds in 1H, led 13-0 3Q, only led 13-6 until final TD with :32 left, 20-6 (-10). Last year SMiss had an interim HC to the interim HC and in first half was only outgained 252-215 yards but was SOD at 15, int'd at Rice 17 fumbled at own 25 &17 setting up short Rice TD's and trailed 23-6. SMiss had just 15 plays on 3 poss in 2H (Rice 39 plays) and Rice had 22-11 FD edge in 30-6 win. The visitor is 5-2 SU and ATS. SMiss is just 1-3 losing by 28.3 ppg vs FBS foes and last week Ty Keyes had 2 TD passes and coach Hall said "I thought our young QB really grew up tonight". Bama led 42-7 at half and went 85/8 for TD 2:49 left and front door cover. Mike Bloomgren is 6-5 ATS as a HD and 0-5 ATS as a HF. After a Bad Beat in a 21 pt loss to Arkansas (+20') they were blasted by both Houston and Texas. Last week they took on a Texas Southern team on a 18 game losing streak and Weber St transfer Constantine started at QB for Rice and hit a 73 yd TD pass on the game's first play. Texas Southern QB Body threw for 353 yds and RB Davis ran for 181. Rice led 20-3 but on 4&1 at TS 40 Luke McCaffrey fumbled with :17 left and TS went 34/3 for 45 yd FG at :00 20-10. Rice went up 27-6 then the teams traded TD's the rest of game with TS 75/5 for TD 2:34 left pulling it to 48-34. Even after playing Alabama, SMiss is allowing just 338 ypg. Rice has taken on the tougher schedule (#55 vs #90) facing 3 old SWC foes. Rice is allowing 462 ypg including Texas Southern with 461 last week. My computer has SMiss by 7 and I agree and this could be the week Ty Keyes (PS#28!) really emerges vs a much softer defense than he faced in his first two starts.

Southern Miss 28 Rice 20

Louisiana Ragin Cajuns

Ragin Cajuns Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	128	139	23	21	9/4	at Texas	18-38	L	47	33	7	15	34	6
0-1		0-0		127				9/11	Nicholls	27-24	W	65	35	9			
1-1	0-2	0-0	0-0	125	113			9/18	Ohio	49-14	W	74	49	2	102	120	79
2-1	1-2	0-0	0-0	129	109			9/25	at GA Southern	28-20	W	64	81	4	115	115	42
3-1	3-0	1-0	0-0	127	105			10/2	at South Alabama			62	91	2	102	74	72
	3-1		0-0		127			10/9	Appalachian St						32	47	9
								10/16	Bye								
	1-3		0-0		110			10/23	at Arkansas St						90	120	53
	1-3		0-0		104			10/30	Texas St						118	114	69
	1-3		0-0		116			11/6	Georgia St						108	112	121
	2-2		0-1		119			11/13	at Troy						105	67	94
	3-1		0-0		127			11/20	at Liberty						74	44	114
	2-1		1-0		99			11/27	ULM						130	117	106

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Texas	18-38	-77	1	-1	22	29-76	2.6	28-40	282	4	21	42-170	4.0	18-26	265	3
Nicholls	27-24	-94	-4	0	20	31-113	3.6	19-33	304	1	24	37-152	4.1	26-37	359	3
Ohio	49-14	312	17	0	33	49-310	6.3	25-34	252	1	16	28-112	4.0	14-27	138	1
at GA Southern	28-20	-75	-5	1	18	37-129	3.5	17-28	249	1	23	57-278	4.9	11-24	175	3
at South Alabama																
Appalachian St																
Bye																
at Arkansas St																
Texas St																
Georgia St																
at Troy																
at Liberty																
ULM																
Average	31-24	16.5	2.3	0.0	23	37-157	4.3	65.9%	272	5.2%	21	41-178	4.3	60.5%	234	8.8%
Conference	28-20	-75.0	-5.0	1.0	18	37-129	3.5	60.7%	249	3.6%	23	57-278	4.9	45.8%	175	12.5%
Away	23-29	-76.0	-2.0	0.0	20	33-103	3.1	66.2%	266	7.4%	22	50-224	4.5	58.0%	220	12.0%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
3-1	3-0
vs. SUN	vs. SUN
1-0	0-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Louisiana		South Alabama
#74	Rush Off	#94
#38	Pass Off	#68
#47	**Total Off**	**#95**
#60	Score Off	#82
#51	Sks Allowed	#23
#97	Rush Def	#3
#78	Pass Def	#81
#90	**Total Def**	**#23**
#70	Score Def	#17
#45	Sks By	#34
#81	Ypg Diff	#56
0	**Total TO's**	**+1**

Louisiana Ragin Cajuns | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **South Alabama Jaguars**

Position by Position Edges

Louisiana		South Alabama
0.75	Louisiana QB/WR vs. South Alabama DB's	
	Louisiana RB's vs. South Alabama LB's	0.25
	Louisiana OL vs. South Alabama DL	1.20
0.83	Louisiana DL vs. South Alabama OL	
1.35	Louisiana LB'S vs. South Alabama RB's	
	Louisiana DB's vs. South Alabama QB/WR	0.56
2.78	Louisiana ST's vs. South Alabama ST's	
1.15	Louisiana K vs. South Alabama K	
2.50	Louisiana Coaches vs. South Alabama Coaches	
9.36	Louisiana Pts vs. South Alabama Pts	2.01

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Louisiana

By 7.36 Points

South Alabama Jaguars

Jaguars Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	106	116			9/4	Southern Miss	31-7	W	122	107	105	102	80	46
1-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	111	85			9/11	at Bowling Green	22-19	W	121	96	72	125	127	55
2-0		0-0		109				9/18	Alcorn St	28-21	W	118	95	80			
3-0		0-0		105				9/25	Bye			109	79	69			
3-0	3-1	0-0	1-0	105	127			10/2	Louisiana			102	74	72	62	91	2
	1-3		0-0		104			10/9	at Texas St						118	114	69
	1-3		0-1		111			10/16	GA Southern						113	121	63
	2-1		1-0		99			10/23	at ULM						130	117	106
	1-3		0-0		110			10/30	Arkansas St						90	120	53
	2-2		0-1		119			11/6	at Troy						105	67	94
	3-1		0-0		127			11/13	at Appalachian St						32	47	9
	4-0		0-0		130			11/20	at Tennessee						39	48	10
								11/27	Coastal Carolina						11	89	44

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Southern Miss	31-7	42	-6	3	13	34-31	0.9	17-22	269	3	19	45-125	2.8	13-29	133	4
at Bowling Green	22-19	54	11	1	21	37-114	3.1	29-46	257	2	10	19-9	0.5	23-33	308	3
Alcorn St	28-21	107	9	-3	22	43-246	5.7	14-24	158	0	13	31-32	1.0	20-34	265	4
Bye																
Louisiana																
at Texas St																
GA Southern																
at ULM																
Arkansas St																
at Troy																
at Appalachian St																
at Tennessee																
Coastal Carolina																
Average	27-16	67.7	4.7	0.3	19	38-130	3.4	65.2%	228	5.4%	14	32-55	1.7	58.3%	235	11.5%
Conference	0-0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Home	30-14	74.5	1.5	0.0	18	39-139	3.6	67.4%	214	6.5%	16	38-79	2.1	52.4%	199	12.7%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Louisiana	25	-15	38	23	37-254	21-35-252	
South Alabama	-	53.5	10	19	37-123	18-36-145	0
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Louisiana	-	-27.5	37	23	45-255	16-29-136	
South Alabama	-	53.5	27	23	50-351	8-15-116	-1
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Louisiana	-	-18.5	48	17	33-210	13-19-197	
South Alabama	-	66	38	27	57-223	18-28-254	-2
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Louisiana	-	51.5	19	16	50-264	8-15-110	
South Alabama	-	-5.5	14	23	28-87	23-42-281	-2
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Louisiana	-	-2.5	28	20	36-256	18-26-256	
South Alabama	-	53	23	20	37-74	21-29-264	1

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Projected Box Score

Louisiana		South Alabama
	Projected Rushing	
127 yards	Louisiana	South Alabama 72 yards
	Projected Passing	
254 yards	Louisiana	South Alabama 251 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
381 yards	Louisiana	South Alabama 323 yards
	Projected Final Score	
27 points	Louisiana	South Alabama 16 points
	Experience Rankings	
6	Louisiana	South Alabama 56
	Team Schedule Strength	
87	Louisiana	South Alabama 130

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Louisiana By 12.5
Las Vegas Total	52.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Louisiana By 19.3
Game Grade	Louisiana By 6.8
Computer Yards	Louisiana 381-323
Computer Points	Louisiana 27-16
Phil Steele	Louisiana by 11

Phil's Forecast:

Road team lost the first 4 meetings, but Louisiana has won 5 straight but 4 of the 5 mtgs have been decided by 10 pts or less. The Cajuns last time here was in '19 and Louisiana trailed 21-17 3Q before scoring 20 straight & won 37-27 (-27). Under Napier the Cajuns are 8-4-1 ATS in SBC road games. USA is 4-2 ATS in SBC home openers s/'15. Last year ULL had 4 TD and FG on first 5 drives and led 28-10 at half with 301-157 yard-edge and won 38-10 with 506-268 yard-edge (-15). South Alabama has opened up 3-0 SU as they upset SMiss but they are 0-2 ATS as a favorite. South Carolina/Utah transfer Jake Bentley has thrown for 526 (68%, 2-1) and has some dynamic WR's to throw to in Jalen Tolbert and Caullin Lacy. They are fresh off a bye. Louisiana got off to a slow start but rolled over Ohio on a Thursday and last week GSthrn went 83/16 for TD on open drive led 7-0 after 1Q. but ULL led 14-13 H & open 3Q 68/5 TD then GS int at 8 ULL 92/5 TD led 28-13. GST SOD at 34 & 37 next 2 drives then 76 yd TD run 13:26 28-20. GS then 40/8 SOD 40 and 44/12 SOD 38 last 2 drives. Louisiana has actually been outgained in 3 of 4 games. They are at their best when they run the ball, but South Alabama's strength is its defensive front 7 and they are allowing 55 ypg rush (1.7) and ULL is 3-6 ATS as a DD favorite. Louisiana has taken on the tougher schedule (#87 vs #130).

Louisiana 27 South Alabama 16

Liberty Flames

Flames Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		133				9/4	Campbell	48-7	W	34	55	75			
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	131	124			9/11	at Troy	21-13	W	32	52	79	86	82	76
2-0	1-1	0-0	0-0	131	102			9/18	Old Dominion	45-17	W	48	51	84	124	121	71
3-0	2-1	0-0	0-0	131	127			9/25	at Syracuse	21-24	L	69	49	109	60	78	45
3-1	3-1	0-0	1-0	130	128			10/2	at UAB			74	44	114	70	31	85
	1-3		0-2		116			10/9	Middle Tennessee						116	104	116
	2-1		1-0		99			10/16	at ULM						130	117	106
	1-3		0-2		102			10/23	at North Texas						83	113	61
	0-4		0-0		93			10/30	UMass						120	130	126
	3-0		0-0		145			11/6	at Mississippi						2	38	68
								11/13	Bye								
	3-1		1-0		127			11/20	Louisiana						62	91	2
	4-0		1-0		123			11/27	Army West Point						40	53	29

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Campbell	48-7	268	10	0	27	41-218	5.3	19-29	319	0	17	29-86	3.0	15-32	183	0
at Troy	21-13	107	9	1	22	47-185	3.9	13-18	154	5	13	24-21	0.9	18-25	211	5
Old Dominion	45-17	223	8	0	23	41-182	4.4	21-29	242	3	15	35-67	1.9	15-27	134	5
at Syracuse	21-24	64	-2	-1	20	41-150	3.7	16-21	219	7	22	53-228	4.3	6-15	77	1
at UAB																
Middle Tennessee																
at ULM																
at North Texas																
UMass																
at Mississippi																
Bye																
Louisiana																
Army West Point																
Average	34-15	165.5	6.3	0.0	23	43-184	4.3	71.1%	234	15.5%	17	35-101	2.9	54.5%	151	11.1%
Conference	21-24	64.0	-2.0	-1.0	20	41-150	3.7	76.2%	219	33.3%	22	53-228	4.3	40.0%	77	6.7%
Away	21-19	85.5	3.5	0.0	21	44-168	3.8	74.4%	187	30.8%	18	39-125	3.2	60.0%	144	15.0%

OVERALL: Liberty		OVERALL: UAB
3-1		3-1
vs. IND		vs. CUSA
0-0		1-0
NCAA RANKINGS		
2021 TEAM RANKINGS		
Liberty		UAB
#49	Rush Off	#68
#66	Pass Off	#74
#58	**Total Off**	**#78**
#46	Score Off	#84
#118	Sks Allowed	#81
#27	Rush Def	#35
#16	Pass Def	#63
#8	**Total Def**	**#47**
#14	Score Def	#50
#34	Sks By	#119
#18	Ypg Diff	#63
0	**Total TO's**	**-1**

Liberty Flames | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **UAB Blazers**

Position by Position Edges	Liberty	UAB
Liberty QB/WR vs. UAB DB's		0.57
Liberty RB's vs. UAB LB's		2.31
Liberty OL vs. UAB DL		1.10
Liberty DL vs. UAB OL	0.96	
Liberty LB'S vs. UAB RB's	1.18	
Liberty DB's vs. UAB QB/WR	0.53	
Liberty ST's vs. UAB ST's		0.24
Liberty K vs. UAB K		1.45
Liberty Coaches vs. UAB Coaches		0.80
Liberty Pts vs. UAB Pts	2.67	6.48

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO: UAB

By 3.81 Points

UAB Blazers

Blazers Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		122				9/4	† Jacksonville St	33-0	W	74	29	47			
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	126	147		2	9/11	at Georgia	7-56	L	67	31	17	3	3	42
1-1	1-1	0-0	0-0	122	105			9/18	at North Texas	40-6	W	77	37	117	50	117	39
2-1	1-2	1-0	0-0	126	125			9/25	at Tulane	28-21	W	82	27	96	67	98	32
3-1	3-1	1-0	0-0	128	130			10/2	Liberty			70	31	85	74	44	114
	2-2		0-0		116			10/9	Florida Atlantic						88	87	38
	1-3		0-0		111			10/16	at Southern Miss						125	88	65
	1-3		0-0		103			10/23	Rice						109	119	123
								10/30	Bye								
	2-2		1-0		113			11/6	Louisiana Tech						101	98	108
	2-2		0-0		119			11/13	at Marshall						41	79	48
	4-0		1-0		129			11/20	at UTSA						64	50	11
	3-1		0-0		104			11/27	UTEP						75	72	88

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
† Jacksonville St	31-0	363	11	-2	19	37-147	4.0	19-23	371	1	8	16-64	4.0	18-35	91	0
at Georgia	7-56	-365	-12	-2	11	36-127	3.5	8-17	47	3	23	38-163	4.3	14-22	376	0
at North Texas	40-6	187	-1	1	17	51-173	3.4	7-14	234	2	18	44-121	2.8	14-34	99	3
at Tulane	28-21	38	1	2	25	48-193	4.0	19-27	240	3	24	28-90	3.2	28-50	305	0
Liberty																
Florida Atlantic																
at Southern Miss																
Rice																
Bye																
Louisiana Tech																
at Marshall																
at UTSA																
UTEP																
Average	27-21	55.8	-0.3	-0.3	18	43-160	3.7	65.4%	223	11.1%	18	32-110	3.5	52.5%	218	2.1%
Conference	40-6	187.0	-1.0	1.0	17	51-173	3.4	50.0%	234	14.3%	18	44-121	2.8	41.2%	99	8.8%
Home	0-0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

None

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Projected Box Score

Liberty		UAB
Projected Rushing		
109 yards	Liberty	158 yards
Projected Passing		
180 yards	Liberty	188 yards
Projected Yardage Total		
289 yards	Liberty	347 yards
Projected Final Score		
20 points	Liberty	24 points
Experience Rankings		
10	Liberty	55
Team Schedule Strength		
105	Liberty	18

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Uab By 1.5
Las Vegas Total	49.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Uab By 2.3
Game Grade	Uab By 5.2
Computer Yards	Uab 347-289
Computer Points	Uab 24-20
Phil Steele	Uab by 7

Phil's Forecast:

First meeting. The Flames are 7-4 all-time vs current CUSA teams including 5-1 SU but 3-3 ATS since moving up to the FBS in 2018 including 3 SU wins last year. This is the first game at UAB's new Protective Stadium. UAB is 21-1 SU/15-5-2 ATS at home since 2017 and this game will be special. UAB is 1-3 ATS at home vs non-conf foes the last 2Y including an upset loss against Louisiana last year. Hugh Freeze is 13-5 ATS as an AD but Bill Clark is 13-6-2 ATS as a HF. UAB opened 2-1 with 2 impressive wins and their usual mail in loss to a P5 team. Last week I used UAB +3' as the play of the week on Phil Steele Plus and and for the 7th time in 8 years the underdog won outright in this series. UAB led 21-0 7:57 2Q Tulane 75/7 TD UAB 54/7 but miss 38 yd FG TUL 79/11 last 1:52 7 yd TD pass :00 21-14 UAB 16-9 FD. Late 3Q UAB 73/8 (after int) for TD 28-14. Tulane 65/8 SOD 10, 70/11 int at 6 85/13 TD 1:57 left and recover onside but 4&2 lost 5 yds and fumble. Liberty was a perfect 3-0 to open the year but last week at Syracuse on Friday they lost. Tied 21-21 Liberty went for it on 4&G at 1 and was SOD. They forced a punt but QB Willis fumbled at own 30 4:00 Syr 35 yd FG :00 win. UAB's Dylan Hopkins missed last year with injury and took over at QB and has hit 74% with a 7-1 ratio. UAB has faced the much tougher schedule (#17 vs #105) are automatic at home and playing the first game in a brand new stadium and will have a peak performance after being on the road the first 4 games.

Best Bet: ★★ UAB 24 Liberty 17

Marshall Thundering Herd

Thundering Herd Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	OFF	DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	114	121			9/4	at Navy	49-7	W	93	61	39	117	92	120
1-0		0-0		119				9/11	NC Central	44-10	W	93	70	34			
2-0	0-2	0-0	0-0	116	125			9/18	East Carolina	38-42	L	44	68	66	85	97	67
2-1	2-1	0-0	0-0	116	130			9/23	at Appalachian St	30-31	L	32	74	59	40	41	8
2-2	1-3	0-0	0-2	119	116			10/2	at Middle Tennessee			41	79	48	116	104	116
	1-3		0-0		104			10/9	Old Dominion						114	102	62
	1-3		0-2		102			10/16	at North Texas						83	113	61
								10/23	Bye								
	1-3		0-0		108			10/30	FIU						84	99	26
	2-2		0-0		116			11/6	at Florida Atlantic						88	87	38
	3-1		1-0		128			11/13	UAB						70	31	85
	3-1		1-0		127			11/20	at Charlotte						57	118	97
	1-2		0-0		119			11/27	WKU						65	95	41

	Score	Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Navy	49-7	66	-1	-1	23	30-101	3.4	21-33	363	0	24	76-337	4.4	5-16	61	9
NC Central	44-10	523	29	-1	38	42-237	5.6	42-58	463	0	9	28-71	2.5	14-32	106	3
East Carolina	38-42	76	-3	-2	24	36-214	5.9	24-40	433	1	27	39-176	4.5	31-50	395	5
at Appalachian St	30-31	-169	-19	2	20	28-127	4.5	18-33	270	2	39	54-283	5.2	24-39	283	1
at Middle Tennessee																
Old Dominion																
at North Texas																
Bye																
FIU																
at Florida Atlantic																
UAB																
at Charlotte																
WKU																
Average	40-23	124.0	1.5	-0.5	26	34-170	5.0	64.0%	382	1.8%	25	49-217	4.4	54.0%	211	13.1%
Conference	0-0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Away	40-19	-51.5	-10.0	0.5	22	29-114	3.9	59.1%	317	3.0%	32	65-310	4.8	52.7%	172	18.2%

OVERALL: 2-2 vs. CUSA | 0-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Marshall		Middle Tenn
#55	Rush Off	#127
#5	Pass Off	#35
#4	**Total Off**	**#101**
#16	Score Off	#67
#8	Sks Allowed	#99
#118	Rush Def	#96
#57	Pass Def	#88
#102	**Total Def**	**#95**
#60	Score Def	#97
#1	Sks By	#94
#28	Ypg Diff	#107
-2	**Total TO's**	**+5**

Marshall Thundering Herd | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Middle Tenn Blue Raiders**

Position by Position Edges

Marshall		Middle Tenn
1.31	Marshall QB/WR vs. Middle Tenn DB's	
	Marshall RB's vs. Middle Tenn LB's	0.50
0.91	Marshall OL vs. Middle Tenn DL	
1.37	Marshall DL vs. Middle Tenn OL	
1.89	Marshall LB'S vs. Middle Tenn RB's	
0.21	Marshall DB's vs. Middle Tenn QB/WR	
3.26	Marshall ST's vs. Middle Tenn ST's	
0.45	Marshall K vs. Middle Tenn K	
	Marshall Coaches vs. Middle Tenn Coaches	2.45
9.41	Marshall Pts vs. Middle Tenn Pts	2.95

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Marshall

By 6.46 Points

Middle Tenn Blue Raiders

Blue Raiders Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	OFF	DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		117				9/4	Monmouth	50-15	W	98	109	125			
1-0	1-0	0-0	1-0	121	128		19	9/11	at Virginia Tech	14-35	L	94	109	51	79	21	48
1-1	2-0	0-0	0-0	119	127			9/18	at UTSA	13-27	L	97	101	112	52	69	14
1-2	2-1	0-1	0-0	119	108			9/25	at Charlotte	39-42	L	122	87	121	91	114	97
1-3	2-2	0-2	0-0	116	119			10/2	Marshall			116	104	116	41	79	48
	3-1		0-0		130			10/9	at Liberty						74	44	114
								10/16	Bye								
	0-5		0-1		96			10/23	at Connecticut						129	128	113
	1-3		0-0		111			10/30	Southern Miss						125	88	65
	1-2		0-0		119			11/6	at WKU						65	95	41
	1-3		0-0		108			11/13	FIU						84	99	26
	1-3		0-0		104			11/20	Old Dominion						114	102	62
	2-2		0-0		116			11/27	at Florida Atlantic						88	87	38

	Score	Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Monmouth	50-15	63	2	4	19	34-89	2.6	20-26	248	2	17	38-88	2.3	27-42	186	3
at Virginia Tech	14-35	-34	-4	-1	20	36-66	1.8	26-40	283	3	24	39-224	5.7	17-28	159	1
at UTSA	13-27	-253	-12	1	11	25-8	0.3	14-30	191	5	23	44-175	4.0	26-46	277	2
at Charlotte	39-42	-57	-5	1	25	23-123	5.3	28-40	379	1	30	40-220	5.5	25-36	339	0
Marshall																
at Liberty																
Bye																
at Connecticut																
Southern Miss																
at WKU																
FIU																
Old Dominion																
at Florida Atlantic																
Average	29-30	-70.3	-4.8	1.3	19	30-72	2.4	64.7%	275	8.1%	24	40-177	4.4	62.5%	240	3.9%
Conference	26-35	-155.0	-8.5	1.0	18	24-66	2.7	60.0%	285	8.6%	27	42-198	4.7	62.2%	308	2.4%
Home	50-15	63.0	2.0	4.0	19	34-89	2.6	76.9%	248	7.7%	17	38-88	2.3	64.3%	186	7.1%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Marshall	16	-24	42	26	38-184	25-37-336	
Middle Tennessee	-	55.5	14	18	23-56	30-45-247	-2
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Marshall	-	-4	13	27	39-202	26-43-376	
Middle Tennessee	-	53.5	24	21	37-140	17-30-261	4
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Marshall	-	-4	24	28	53-209	17-35-173	
Middle Tennessee	-	50	34	25	35-103	25-40-317	2
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Marshall	-	-1.5	38	21	45-198	16-24-168	
Middle Tennessee	-	49.5	10	15	31-53	14-33-220	-2
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Marshall	-	60	42	29	41-207	21-37-246	
Middle Tennessee	-	-8.5	17	15	25-63	25-37-220	-4

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Projected Box Score

Marshall		Middle Tenn
	Projected Rushing	
162 yards	Marshall	104 yards
	Projected Passing	
333 yards	Marshall	298 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
495 yards	Marshall	402 yards
	Projected Final Score	
37 points	Marshall	29 points
	Experience Rankings	
41	Marshall	83
	Team Schedule Strength	
113	Marshall	74

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Marshall By 10
Las Vegas Total	66 Points
+/- Ratings	Middle Tenn By 0.8
Game Grade	Marshall By 9.3
Computer Yards	Marshall 495-402
Computer Points	Marshall 37-29
Phil Steele	Marshall by 3

Phil's Forecast:

Last time here in '19 Marshall finished with 578-404 yd edge but were -4 TO's & lost 24-13. Marshall is 7-3 SU in CUSA road games the last 4Y. The Blue Raiders won B2B mtgs in '18 & '19, were blown out 42-14 last year (+24). MT has allowed 500+ yds in B2B mtgs. There have been 4 upsets in 8 CUSA mtgs. Last year this game was the 50th anniversary of the plane crash. It was tied 7-7 but UM went 60/6 for TD w/3:08 left in half and after a fumble 47/4 for TD :32 left. MT missed 54 yd FG last play half 21-7. Up 28-14 Marsh 65/3 TD then MT SOD and Marsh 65/3 TD to get ahead of spread with 1:48 left 3Q and MT punt last two drives in 42-14 loss (+24). Marshall comes in 2-2 off 4 & 1 pt losses. Last week App went 72/8 and with :04 left got a 2 yd TD run to lead 21-20. Marshall got a FG and TD after 3Q App TO's and led 30-21. App was SOD at 36 but went 91/6 for TD 14:04 Marshall miss 32 yd FG, App 45 yd FG 5:40 to lead Marsh punt 4:00 and App 83/8/4:00 to 5 running out clock with Marsh trying to let them score at end. App did have a 566-397 yd edge and 39 (yes, 39) to 20 FD edge. Middle is off a 3 game road trip going 0-3 SU and ATS. Last week at Charlotte, Middle Tenn led 17-14 at half and the team traded scores but MT punted once and got behind 42-32 then drove 75/8 for TD 2:12 left but Charlotte recover onside 42-39 (559-502) in Chris Cunningham's first start in which he threw for 379 yards with a 5-0 ratio! MT has taken on the #66 schedule and Marshall just #115. MT is 6-1 SU/5-2 ATS in CUSA home openers. Home team is 6-2 SU 5-2-1 ATS in series. I definitely like the DD home dog here in a possible outright upset.

Marshall 34 Middle Tennessee 31

Northwestern Wildcats

Wildcats Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	132	124			9/4	Michigan St	21-38	L	89	53	74	78	90	116
0-1		0-1		127				9/11	Indiana St	24-6	W	89	58	118			
1-1	1-1	0-1	0-0	124	114			9/18	at Duke	23-30	L	92	72	48	55	100	21
1-2	0-3	0-1	0-0	121	109			9/25	Ohio	35-6	W	79	82	84	105	123	72
2-2	2-3	0-1	0-2	123	131			10/2	at Nebraska			53	86	76	33	26	130
								10/9	Bye								
	3-1		0-1		134			10/16	Rutgers						98	23	6
	4-0		1-0		140			10/23	at Michigan						8	19	3
	2-2		0-1		130			10/30	Minnesota						79	39	78
	4-0		1-0		144			11/6	Iowa						104	2	5
	1-2		0-1		135			11/13	at Wisconsin						46	4	91
	3-1		1-0		128			11/20	Purdue						61	30	67
	1-4		1-2		121			11/27	at Illinois						96	73	57

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Michigan St	21-38	-111	-3	1	20	38-117	3.1	30-43	283	3	23	37-326	8.8	15-26	185	2
Indiana St	24-6	106	6	-1	18	46-209	4.5	9-16	66	2	12	22-31	1.4	22-35	138	3
at Duke	23-30	-151	-4	-2	22	32-147	4.6	19-39	260	2	26	53-208	3.9	32-45	350	1
Ohio	35-6	113	5	2	22	51-373	7.3	12-20	88	0	17	31-179	5.8	21-32	169	4
at Nebraska																
Bye																
Rutgers																
at Michigan																
Minnesota																
Iowa																
at Wisconsin																
Purdue																
at Illinois																
Average	26-20	-10.8	1.0	0.0	21	42-212	5.1	59.3%	174	5.9%	20	36-186	5.2	65.2%	211	7.2%
Conference	21-38	-111.0	-3.0	1.0	20	38-117	3.1	69.8%	283	7.0%	23	37-326	8.8	57.7%	185	7.7%
Away	23-30	-151.0	-4.0	-2.0	22	32-147	4.6	48.7%	260	5.1%	26	53-208	3.9	71.1%	350	2.2%

OVERALL:	OVERALL:
2-2	2-3
vs. BIG 10	vs. BIG 10
0-1	0-2

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Northwestern		Nebraska
#24	Rush Off	#39
#110	Pass Off	#36
#76	**Total Off**	**#25**
#89	Score Off	#78
#51	Sks Allowed	#124
#104	Rush Def	#69
#56	Pass Def	#38
#83	**Total Def**	**#49**
#45	Score Def	#25
#45	Sks By	#82
#93	Ypg Diff	#22
0	**Total TO's**	**-1**

Northwestern Wildcats | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Nebraska Cornhuskers**

Position by Position Edges

Northwestern		Nebraska
	Northwestern QB/WR vs. Nebraska DB's	1.83
	Northwestern RB's vs. Nebraska LB's	0.25
0.19	Northwestern OL vs. Nebraska DL	
	Northwestern DL vs. Nebraska OL	0.04
0.29	Northwestern LB'S vs. Nebraska RB's	
	Northwestern DB's vs. Nebraska QB/WR	1.02
5.75	Northwestern ST's vs. Nebraska ST's	
1.00	Northwestern K vs. Nebraska K	
1.15	Northwestern Coaches vs. Nebraska Coaches	
8.37	Northwestern Pts vs. Nebraska Pts	3.15

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Northwestern

By 5.22 Points

Nebraska Cornhuskers

Cornhuskers Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	130	124			8/28	† Illinois	22-30	L	65	54	99	66	94	49
0-1		0-1		127				9/4	Fordham	52-7	W	65	54	99			
1-1	1-0	0-1	0-0	127	118			9/11	Buffalo	28-3	W	61	48	86	111	101	4
2-1	2-0	0-1	0-0	129	147		3	9/18	at Oklahoma	16-23	L	38	42	122	2	4	25
2-2	3-0	0-1	1-0	131	133		20	9/25	at Michigan St	20-23	L	31	42	124	16	58	123
2-3	2-2	0-2	0-1	131	123			10/2	Northwestern			33	26	130	53	86	76
	4-0		1-0		140			10/9	Michigan						8	19	3
	2-2		0-1		130			10/16	at Minnesota						79	39	78
								10/23	Bye								
	3-1		1-0		128			10/30	Purdue						61	30	67
	3-1		1-0		141			11/6	Ohio St						1	20	37
								11/13	Bye								
	1-2		0-1		135			11/20	at Wisconsin						46	4	91
	4-0		1-0		144			11/26	Iowa						104	2	5

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
† Illinois	22-30	66	1	0	19	39-160	4.1	16-32	232	5	18	48-167	3.5	15-19	159	3
Fordham	52-7	341	22	1	34	65-329	5.1	21-30	304	1	12	28-129	4.6	18-30	163	1
Buffalo	28-3	157	0	0	19	41-220	5.4	14-20	296	0	19	33-135	4.1	27-50	224	0
at Oklahoma	16-23	-24	-3	-1	18	38-95	2.5	19-25	289	5	21	35-194	5.5	24-34	214	0
at Michigan St	20-23	186	14	-1	26	48-188	3.9	25-36	252	7	12	30-71	2.4	14-23	183	3
Northwestern																
Michigan																
at Minnesota																
Bye																
Purdue																
Ohio St																
Bye																
at Wisconsin																
Iowa																
Average	28-17	145.2	6.8	-0.2	23	46-198	4.3	66.4%	275	12.6%	16	35-139	4.0	62.8%	189	4.5%
Conference	21-27	126.0	7.5	-0.5	23	44-174	4.0	60.3%	242	17.6%	15	39-119	3.1	69.0%	171	14.3%
Home	40-5	249.0	11.0	0.5	27	53-275	5.2	70.0%	300	2.0%	16	31-132	4.3	56.3%	194	1.3%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Northwestern	-	-3.5	21	14	38-148	16-27-169	
Nebraska	-	53	13	28	43-224	24-45-218	0
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Northwestern	-	49	10	18	41-157	19-32-136	
Nebraska	-	-7	13	12	40-133	15-25-186	1
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Northwestern	-	-3.5	34	30	23-32	41-65-455	
Nebraska	-	59.5	31	24	47-231	25-35-251	-1
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Northwestern	-	54	31	26	45-232	19-35-243	
Nebraska	-	E	24	21	31-112	21-38-225	-1
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Northwestern	-	48	13	23	32-137	25-38-251	
Nebraska	20	-7.5	24	26	47-310	18-29-246	0

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Projected Box Score

Projected Rushing

Northwestern		Nebraska
137 yards	Northwestern	226 yards

Projected Passing

Northwestern		Nebraska
103 yards	Northwestern	270 yards

Projected Yardage Total

Northwestern		Nebraska
240 yards	Northwestern	496 yards

Projected Final Score

Northwestern		Nebraska
10 points	Northwestern	26 points

Experience Rankings

Northwestern		Nebraska
130	Northwestern	75

Team Schedule Strength

Northwestern		Nebraska
112	Northwestern	49

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Nebraska By 11.5
Las Vegas Total	51.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Nebraska By 12.0
Game Grade	Nebraska By 24.8
Computer Yards	Nebraska 496-240
Computer Points	Nebraska 26-10
Phil Steele	Nebraska by 3

Phil's Forecast:

These two have split the last 10 games with 8 of those decided by 8 pts or less (3.8 ppg). Last year Nebraska had the edge in yds (442-317) & FD's (28-14). NW went 80/7 for TD to open. NEB punt first 3 poss but 4 drives for two FG, TD and miss FG and led 13-7 H with 226-134 yard-edge. NW 61/10 TD open 3Q then 44/6 TD start 4Q 21-13. NEB to 4 int 6:05 then 4&4 14 INC :07 left in NW win. Last time here ('19), NW battled back from down 10 to tie it but lost on a 24-yd FG as time expired, 13-10 (+7). Northwestern is 20-13 SU on the road the last 8 years and Scott Frost is 10-9 SU at home and 8-11 ATS. Since 2016 NW is now 6-12 SU in the month of September and then usually turn it on. NW is one of the least exp'd teams in the country with just 4 starters back on offense and defense in a year where every team in exp'd. They opened 0-3 ATS and last week NW went 32/6 TD 6:00 left then after int 33/6 TD :32. 35-0. OU QB Rogers 55 yd run on final play game. Nebraska got upset by Illinois in the opener but then had three straight impressive ATS wins with a 7 pt loss to powerful Oklahoma. Last week Nebraska had a 26-12 FD and 442-254 yd edge in OT loss to Mich St. MSt int at 18 & SOD 30 1st two poss. Mich St FG 1:03 left, 44 yd FG blk :00 13-10 H. Nebraska led 20-13 MST 62 yd PR TD 3:47 left and 20-20 into OT. Neb int'd, Mich St 3&G 3 21 yd FG for win. The AGG has Nebraska at 107.1 and NW at 88.1 (Neb by 23.0) but the series history, home/road and favorite/dog dichotomys all line up with a Northwestern team that has played 6 straight solid Q's and may be getting ready for their patented mid to late season surge. QB Ryan Hilinski took over as QB last week and had 0 ints and 0 sacks both of which were a problem the first 3 games.

Nebraska 23 Northwestern 20

WKU Hilltoppers

Hilltoppers Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		112				9/4	UT Martin	59-21	W	112	75	20			
1-0	1-0	0-0	0-0	116	125			9/11	at Army West Point	35-38	L	103	68	32	104	79	14
1-1		0-0		117				9/18	Bye			101	78	51			
1-1	1-2	0-0	0-1	117	133			9/25	Indiana	31-33	L	71	96	50	83	24	33
1-2	4-0	0-0	2-0	119	133		17	10/2	at Michigan St			65	95	41	27	58	87
	4-0		1-0		129			10/9	UTSA						64	50	11
	1-3		0-0		104			10/16	at Old Dominion						114	102	62
	1-3		0-0		108			10/23	at FIU						84	99	26
	3-1		1-0		127			10/30	Charlotte						57	118	97
	1-3		0-2		116			11/6	Middle Tennessee						116	104	116
	1-3		0-0		103			11/13	at Rice						109	119	123
	2-2		0-0		116			11/20	Florida Atlantic						88	87	38
	2-2		0-0		119			11/27	at Marshall						41	79	48

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
UT Martin	59-21	191	3	1	25	25-109	4.4	29-36	478	0	22	34-201	5.9	20-43	195	1
at Army West Point	35-38	61	-1	0	22	19-42	2.2	28-40	435	3	23	67-339	5.1	5-6	77	1
Bye																
Indiana	31-33	-49	-11	0	24	20-93	4.7	31-44	365	1	35	39-134	3.4	35-53	373	3
at Michigan St																
UTSA																
at Old Dominion																
at FIU																
Charlotte																
Middle Tennessee																
at Rice																
Florida Atlantic																
at Marshall																
Average	42-31	67.7	-3.0	0.3	24	21-81	3.8	73.3%	426	3.3%	27	47-225	4.8	58.8%	215	4.9%
Conference	0-0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Away	35-38	61.0	-1.0	0.0	22	19-42	2.2	70.0%	435	7.5%	23	67-339	5.1	83.3%	77	16.7%

OVERALL: 1-2 vs. CUSA 0-0

OVERALL: 4-0 vs. BIG 10 2-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

WKU		Michigan St
#120	Rush Off	#22
#2	Pass Off	#61
#14	**Total Off**	**#34**
#14	Score Off	#38
#16	Sks Allowed	#70
#119	Rush Def	#54
#61	Pass Def	#106
#108	**Total Def**	**#82**
#103	Score Def	#32
#104	Sks By	#7
#56	Ypg Diff	#61
+1	**Total TO's**	**+4**

WKU Hilltoppers | TEAM AVERAGES | Michigan St Spartans

Position by Position Edges

WKU		Michigan St
1.04	WKU QB/WR vs. Michigan St DB's	
	WKU RB's vs. Michigan St LB's	2.69
	WKU OL vs. Michigan St DL	1.41
	WKU DL vs. Michigan St OL	1.37
	WKU LB'S vs. Michigan St RB's	0.96
	WKU DB's vs. Michigan St QB/WR	0.48
	WKU ST's vs. Michigan St ST's	1.83
	WKU K vs. Michigan St K	1.20
1.00	WKU Coaches vs. Michigan St Coaches	
2.04	WKU Pts vs. Michigan St Pts	9.93

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Michigan St

By 7.89 Points

Michigan St Spartans

Spartans Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	124	132			9/4	at Northwestern	38-21	W	78	90	116	89	53	74
1-0		1-0		129				9/11	Youngstown St	42-14	W	70	84	119			
2-0	1-1	1-0	0-0	128	131		24	9/18	at Miami, Fl	38-17	W	35	84	113	13	31	49
3-0	2-2	1-0	0-1	133	131	20		9/25	Nebraska	23-20	W	16	58	123	33	26	130
4-0	1-2	2-0	0-0	133	119	17		10/2	WKU			27	58	87	65	95	41
	3-1		0-1		134			10/9	at Rutgers						98	23	6
	2-2		0-1		131			10/16	at Indiana						82	37	28
								10/23	Bye								
	4-0		1-0		140			10/30	Michigan						8	19	3
	3-1		1-0		128			11/6	at Purdue						61	30	67
	4-0		1-0		127			11/13	Maryland						13	16	35
	3-1		1-0		141			11/20	at Ohio St						1	20	37
	4-0		1-0		143			11/27	Penn St						29	9	20

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Northwestern	38-21	111	3	-1	23	37-326	8.8	15-26	185	2	20	38-117	3.1	30-43	283	3
Youngstown St	42-14	291	5	0	25	38-272	7.2	20-28	323	0	20	45-167	3.7	16-32	137	2
at Miami, Fl	38-17	14	-6	4	23	41-193	4.7	18-31	261	3	29	24-52	2.2	38-60	388	3
Nebraska	23-20	-186	-14	1	12	30-71	2.4	14-23	183	3	26	48-188	3.9	25-36	252	7
WKU																
at Rutgers																
at Indiana																
Bye																
Michigan																
at Purdue																
Maryland																
at Ohio St																
Penn St																
Average	35-18	57.5	-3.0	1.0	21	37-216	5.9	62.0%	238	7.4%	24	39-131	3.4	63.7%	265	8.8%
Conference	31-21	-37.5	-5.5	0.0	18	34-199	5.9	59.2%	184	10.2%	23	43-153	3.5	69.6%	268	12.7%
Home	33-17	52.5	-4.5	0.5	19	34-172	5.0	66.7%	253	5.9%	23	47-178	3.8	60.3%	195	13.2%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

None

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Projected Box Score

WKU		Michigan St
	Projected Rushing	
19 yards	WKU	232 yards
	Projected Passing	
376 yards	WKU	297 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
395 yards	WKU	529 yards
	Projected Final Score	
29 points	WKU	43 points
	Experience Rankings	
122	WKU	90
	Team Schedule Strength	
75	WKU	33

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Michigan St By 11.5
Las Vegas Total	64.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Michigan St By 18.0
Game Grade	Michigan St By 10.1
Computer Yards	Michigan St 529-395
Computer Points	Michigan St 43-29
Phil Steele	Michigan St by 18

Phil's Forecast:

It will be the first-ever meeting between the Hilltoppers and Michigan State, marking WKU's first regular season trip to the state of Michigan since a 17-14 loss at EMich in 1971. The Spartans are 6-1 vs CUSA schools (only loss to La Tech in '03). The last time MSU played a G5 team sandwiched between Big 10 opponents was a 31-20 non-covering win (-28') over CMU in '18. Toppers are 0-8 all-time vs Big 10. 'Toppers are 4-8x ATS vs Non-Conf foes under Helton including 0-5 last year. Mich St s in much better shape than last year when they had a first year head coach taking over the team late with no spring. WKU has shifted to the Houston Baptist pass offense led by Bailey Zappe. Mich St is 2-11 ATS as a HF the last 4 years. Mich St pounded Northwestern then took Miami Fla under the water where the pain was and beat them on the road 38-17. Last week Nebraska had a 26-12 FD and 442-254 yd edge in OT loss to Mich St. WKU did trail Army 35-14 but only lost on the road 38-35. Last week Penix hit 34-53-373 as Indy entered 1-2 with losses to ranked teams. Indiana had 2 TD and 4 FG on first 6 poss and led 14-0 and 23-14 at half. Up 26-24 Indy 86/14 TD 4:27 left WKU 4&& own 33 FD 75/8 TD 2:43. Indy 3&8 own 37 10 yd pass and run out clock, 33-31 (507-458). Bailey Zappe is hitting 73% with a 13-2 ratio. WKU is allowing 225 (4.8) rush and Mich St has Kenneth Walker 554 (7.3).

Michigan St 38 WKU 20

Old Dominion Monarchs

Monarchs Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	101	132			9/4	at Wake Forest	10-42	L	125	124	93	39	63	65
0-1		0-0		101				9/11	Hampton	47-7	W	126	123	116			
1-1	2-0	0-0	0-0	102	131			9/18	at Liberty	17-45	L	124	121	71	48	51	84
1-2	1-2	0-0	0-0	102	117			9/25	Buffalo	34-35	L	120	105	68	90	112	78
1-3	3-1	0-0	0-0	104	104			10/2	at UTEP			114	102	62	75	72	88
	2-2		0-0		119			10/9	at Marshall						41	79	48
	1-2		0-0		119			10/16	WKU						65	95	41
								10/23	Bye								
	2-2		1-0		113			10/30	Louisiana Tech						101	98	108
	1-3		0-0		108			11/6	at FIU						84	99	26
	2-2		0-0		116			11/13	Florida Atlantic						88	87	38
	1-3		0-2		116			11/20	at Middle Tennessee						116	104	116
	3-1		1-0		127			11/27	Charlotte						57	118	97

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at Wake Forest	10-42	-80	-3	-1	17	39-145	3.7	18-38	127	2	20	41-164	4.0	18-29	188	2
Hampton	47-7	385	19	0	32	54-358	6.6	15-29	214	0	13	40-104	2.6	7-16	83	3
at Liberty	17-45	-223	-8	0	15	35-67	1.9	15-27	134	5	23	41-182	4.4	21-29	242	3
Buffalo	34-35	136	10	-2	27	45-209	4.6	24-41	224	4	17	38-106	2.8	17-26	191	0
at UTEP																
at Marshall																
WKU																
Bye																
Louisiana Tech																
at FIU																
Florida Atlantic																
at Middle Tennessee																
Charlotte																
Average	27-32	54.5	4.5	-0.8	23	43-195	4.5	53.3%	175	8.1%	18	40-139	3.5	63.0%	176	8.0%
Conference	0-0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Away	14-44	-151.5	-5.5	-0.5	16	37-106	2.9	50.8%	131	10.8%	22	41-173	4.2	67.2%	215	8.6%

OVERALL: 1-3 vs. CUSA 0-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Old Dominion		UTEP
#40	Rush Off	#65
#109	Pass Off	#59
#85	**Total Off**	**#65**
#82	Score Off	#93
#99	Sks Allowed	#23
#67	Rush Def	#40
#27	Pass Def	#46
#38	**Total Def**	**#41**
#108	Score Def	#75
#74	Sks By	#82
#65	Ypg Diff	#49
-3	**Total TO's**	**-4**

Old Dominion Monarchs | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **UTEP Miners**

Position by Position Edges

Old Dominion		UTEP
	Old Dominion QB/WR vs. UTEP DB's	1.73
	Old Dominion RB's vs. UTEP LB's	0.18
	Old Dominion OL vs. UTEP DL	0.53
0.24	Old Dominion DL vs. UTEP OL	
	Old Dominion LB'S vs. UTEP RB's	0.39
	Old Dominion DB's vs. UTEP QB/WR	0.66
2.88	Old Dominion ST's vs. UTEP ST's	
	Old Dominion K vs. UTEP K	1.00
	Old Dominion Coaches vs. UTEP Coaches	1.00
3.13	Old Dominion Pts vs. UTEP Pts	5.49

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

UTEP

By 2.37 Points

UTEP Miners

Miners Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	105	94			8/28	at New Mexico St	30-3	W	97	115	41	115	130	56
1-0		0-0		108				9/4	Bethune-Cookman	38-28	W	97	115	41			
2-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	104	126			9/11	at Boise St	13-54	L	92	112	60	51	56	5
2-1		0-0		101				9/18	Bye			81	105	94			
2-1	2-1	0-0	0-0	101	110			9/25	New Mexico	20-13	W	66	90	76	99	67	101
3-1	1-3	0-0	0-0	104	104			10/2	Old Dominion			75	72	88	114	102	62
	1-3		0-0		111			10/9	at Southern Miss						125	88	65
	2-2		1-0		113			10/16	Louisiana Tech						101	98	108
								10/23	Bye								
	2-2		0-0		116			10/30	at Florida Atlantic						88	87	38
	4-0		1-0		129			11/6	UTSA						64	50	11
	1-3		0-2		102			11/13	at North Texas						83	113	61
	1-3		0-0		103			11/20	Rice						109	119	123
	3-1		1-0		128			11/27	at UAB						70	31	85

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at New Mexico St	30-3	262	-1	-1	19	42-203	4.8	11-20	249	0	20	34-101	3.0	9-33	89	3
Bethune-Cookman	38-28	139	12	1	24	51-289	5.7	14-23	183	2	12	25-118	4.7	15-22	215	2
at Boise St	13-54	-125	-1	-5	20	40-104	2.6	16-26	232	1	21	37-121	3.3	17-25	340	1
Bye																
New Mexico	20-13	56	-5	1	12	33-51	1.5	15-29	293	2	17	35-123	3.5	17-39	165	1
Old Dominion																
at Southern Miss																
Louisiana Tech																
Bye																
at Florida Atlantic																
UTSA																
at North Texas																
Rice																
at UAB																
Average	25-25	83.0	1.3	-1.0	19	42-162	3.9	57.1%	239	5.1%	18	33-116	3.5	48.7%	202	5.9%
Conference	0-0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0-0	0.0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Home	29-21	97.5	3.5	1.0	18	42-170	4.0	55.8%	238	7.7%	15	30-121	4.0	52.5%	190	4.9%

OVERALL: 3-1 vs. CUSA 0-0

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2016	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Old Dominion	-	-5	31	15	30-131	14-22-262	
UTEP	-	56	21	24	35-132	22-37-205	-1

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Projected Box Score

Old Dominion		UTEP
	Projected Rushing	
145 yards		136 yards
	Projected Passing	
152 yards		215 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
297 yards		351 yards
	Projected Final Score	
25 points		29 points
	Experience Rankings	
127		30
	Team Schedule Strength	
101		126

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Utep By 5.5
Las Vegas Total	48.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Utep By 2.0
Game Grade	Utep By 0.9
Computer Yards	Utep 351-297
Computer Points	Utep 29-25
Phil Steele	Utep by 10

Phil's Forecast:

ODU won both of last 2 meetings by scores of 31-21 (-5) including the last time here in '16. Monarchs trailed 13-10 3Q, then had 75, 68 & 73 yd TD drives & UTEP scored garbage time TD. ODU has lost last 3 CUSA road openers. Miners have lost their last 10 SU against CUSA East foes but have covered the last 3. ODU is 8-6 ATS as an AD. UTEP is 2-6 ATS as a HF the last 5 years. UTEP won their first two but after winning by 27 at NMexSt they only beat Bethune Cookman by 10 at home. They were only outgained 461-336 at Boise by lost by 41. Last week New Mexico dominated the 1H with a 14-3 FD edge and was SOD at the 13 but still led 13-3. UTEP had 188-117 yd edge 2H. UTEP open 3Q 84/7 TD then 55 yd TD pass Cowing 2nd poss and after int missed FG on 3rd poss. Each team 3 punts then UTEP 49/5 44 yd FG 20-13 and NM 42/12 4&9 33 SOD. :20. ODU lost to a couple of bowl teams on the road by 32 and 28 and last week Buffalo got a 85 yd blk FG for a TD to led 7-0. Tied 7-7 Buff had 3 straight TD drives then with ODU at their 25 got a 67 yd fumble return TD to led 35-7 at half. ODU dominated the 2H. The Monarchs had 3 long TD drives and fumbled at Buff 9 but drove 46/10 for apparent tying TD but after celeb pen a 30 yd xp just missed to the right in 35-34 loss with ODU 433-297 yds. They did beat Hampton by 47 at home. UTEP's Gavin Hardison has a powerful arm (60%, 6-5) and has dangerous WR's in Cowing and Garrett and a solid Dline and at home moves to 4-1.

UTEP 30 Old Dominion 20

Arizona St Sun Devils

Sun Devils Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0		0-0		134		25		9/4	Southern Utah	41-14	W	13	24	23			
1-0	0-1	0-0	0-0	131	106	23		9/11	UNLV	37-10	W	15	26	13	120	122	57
2-0	2-0	0-0	0-0	132	133	19	23	9/18	at BYU	17-27	L	17	27	9	54	75	40
2-1	1-2	0-0	0-0	131	118			9/25	Colorado	35-13	W	24	29	10	113	43	113
3-1	3-1	1-0	1-0	132	137		20	10/2	at UCLA			23	27	12	30	13	36
	2-2		1-1		129			10/9	Stanford						45	55	90
	2-2		1-0		131			10/16	at Utah						51	22	110
								10/23	Bye								
	1-3		0-2		121			10/30	Washington St						92	68	64
	2-2		1-2		129			11/6	USC						37	41	33
	2-2		1-0		130			11/13	at Washington						59	15	98
	3-1		1-0		133			11/20	at Oregon St						25	45	60
	0-4		0-1		111			11/27	Arizona						100	93	125

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Southern Utah	41-14	197	7	2	22	40-222	5.6	14-18	199	2	15	26-78	3.0	19-31	146	2
UNLV	37-10	307	18	-1	29	47-287	6.1	20-29	175	1	11	32-88	2.8	7-19	67	5
at BYU	17-27	65	-4	-2	19	33-161	4.9	21-29	265	2	23	39-144	3.7	16-28	217	2
Colorado	35-13	189	7	0	25	32-167	5.2	20-27	272	0	18	44-183	4.2	7-17	67	3
at UCLA																
Stanford																
at Utah																
Bye																
Washington St																
USC																
at Washington																
at Oregon St																
Arizona																
Average	33-16	189.5	7.0	-0.3	24	38-209	5.5	72.8%	228	4.9%	17	35-123	3.5	51.6%	124	12.6%
Conference	35-13	189.0	7.0	0.0	25	32-167	5.2	74.1%	272	0.0%	18	44-183	4.2	41.2%	67	17.6%
Away	17-27	65.0	-4.0	-2.0	19	33-161	4.9	72.4%	265	6.9%	23	39-144	3.7	57.1%	217	7.1%

OVERALL: 3-1 vs. PAC 12 1-0

OVERALL: 3-1 vs. PAC 12 1-0

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Arizona St		UCLA
#25	Rush Off	#41
#70	Pass Off	#65
#43	**Total Off**	**#48**
#50	Score Off	#26
#23	Sks Allowed	#70
#48	Rush Def	#5
#5	Pass Def	#126
#6	**Total Def**	**#80**
#19	Score Def	#77
#25	Sks By	#58
#13	Ypg Diff	#70
-1	**Total TO's**	**+3**

Arizona St Sun Devils | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **UCLA Bruins**

Position by Position Edges

Arizona St		UCLA
	Arizona St QB/WR vs. UCLA DB's	0.84
	Arizona St RB's vs. UCLA LB's	1.08
	Arizona St OL vs. UCLA DL	0.28
	Arizona St DL vs. UCLA OL	0.50
0.42	Arizona St LB'S vs. UCLA RB's	
1.47	Arizona St DB's vs. UCLA QB/WR	
	Arizona St ST's vs. UCLA ST's	0.17
0.10	Arizona St K vs. UCLA K	
0.60	Arizona St Coaches vs. UCLA Coaches	
2.58	Arizona St Pts vs. UCLA Pts	2.86

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

UCLA

By 0.28 Points

UCLA Bruins

Bruins Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	131	122			8/28	Hawaii	44-10	W	28	32	82	90	57	86
1-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	135	144		16	9/4	LSU	38-27	W	28	32	82	16	10	16
2-0		0-0		139		16		9/11	Bye			21	29	15			
2-0	2-1	0-0	0-0	139	127	13		9/18	Fresno St	37-40	L	12	23	16	21	56	104
2-1	2-1	0-0	1-0	135	131	24		9/25	at Stanford	35-24	W	23	9	24	43	57	95
3-1	3-1	1-0	1-0	137	132	20		10/2	Arizona St			30	13	36	23	27	12
	0-4		0-1		111			10/9	at Arizona						100	93	125
	2-2		1-0		130			10/16	at Washington						59	15	98
	4-0		1-0		137			10/23	Oregon						26	28	39
	2-2		1-0		131			10/30	at Utah						51	22	110
								11/6	Bye								
	1-3		0-1		117			11/13	Colorado						117	60	101
	2-2		1-2		129			11/20	at USC						37	41	33
	1-3		0-1		128			11/27	California						28	54	119

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Hawaii	44-10	123	4	2	20	43-244	5.7	12-22	148	2	16	21-26	1.2	28-53	243	2
LSU	38-27	91	-5	0	19	47-210	4.5	9-16	260	4	24	25-49	2.0	26-46	330	2
Bye																
Fresno St	37-40	-174	-15	1	17	29-117	4.0	14-24	278	0	32	37-114	3.1	29-54	455	3
at Stanford	35-24	95	13	0	24	51-204	4.0	18-29	251	2	11	22-67	3.0	19-32	293	2
Arizona St																
at Arizona																
at Washington																
Oregon																
at Utah																
Bye																
Colorado																
at USC																
California																
Average	39-25	33.8	-0.8	0.8	20	43-194	4.6	58.2%	234	8.8%	21	26-64	2.4	55.1%	330	4.9%
Conference	35-24	95.0	13.0	0.0	24	51-204	4.0	62.1%	251	6.9%	11	22-67	3.0	59.4%	293	6.3%
Home	40-26	13.3	-5.3	1.0	19	40-190	4.8	56.5%	229	9.7%	24	28-63	2.3	54.2%	343	4.6%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

None

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Projected Box Score

Arizona St		UCLA
	Projected Rushing	
128 yards	Arizona St	195 yards
	Projected Passing	
226 yards	Arizona St	210 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
354 yards	Arizona St	405 yards
	Projected Final Score	
25 points	Arizona St	35 points
	Experience Rankings	
12	Arizona St	UCLA 23
	Team Schedule Strength	
106	Arizona St	UCLA 7

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Ucla By 3
Las Vegas Total	55.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Ucla By 8.5
Game Grade	Ucla By 8.9
Computer Yards	Ucla 405-354
Computer Points	Ucla 35-25
Phil Steele	Ucla by 4

Phil's Forecast:

Arizona St has dropped 3 of the last 4. Last time here ('19), ASU trailed 42-10 thru 3Q in a 10-pt loss. Last year the Bruins scored the first 17 pts of the game, then gave up 18 unanswered pts, before getting a TD with 1:09 left for the 25-18 (+3) win. ASU was playing just their 2nd game of season not playing in a month. They were rusty in 1H with a 58/13 drive for a missed FG and trailed 17-3 H. ASU dominated the 2H but fumbled on 2&G at 1 and were int'd at GL. Trailing 18-17 UCLA went 75/11 for TD and two pt with 1:09 left to pull out 25-18 win. UCLA got off to a great start including a home win vs LSU by 11 but lost to Fresno at home 40-37. Last week Stanford was missing 3 of its top 4 RB's with the backup a walk on and was missing 4 of their top DB's. UCLA had a 21-7 edge at half after a TD with :23 left. Stanford got 56 & 46 yd TD passes to tie. UCLA then got a 75 yd TD pass and after Stanf FG, UCLA went 75/13 for TD 2:24 left and had a 455-360 yd edge. ASU opened 0-3 ATS including a 27-17 loss at BYU. Last week Colorado ended a 120+ minute scoreless streak with a 51 yd FG :13 left in half to pull to 14-3 then open 3Q 75/8 TD 14-10. ASU 3 TD's next 4 poss last with 8:30 left 35-10 and CU 61/9 33 yd FG 3:56 left. The talent says UCLA as they are playing to a 110.1 AGG and Arizona St is at 104.6 so the AGG says UCLA by 8.95. The angles say Arizona St as Herm Edwards is 6-2 ATS as an AD and UCLA is just 3-8 ATS as a HF.

UCLA 31 Arizona St 27

Fresno St Bulldogs

Bulldogs Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	121	101			8/28	Connecticut	45-0	W	33	85	126	129	127	109
1-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	125	135		11	9/4	at Oregon	24-31	L	33	85	126	11	14	78
1-1		0-0		126			13	9/11	Cal Poly	63-10	W	34	69	125			
2-1	2-0	0-0	0-0	127	139			9/18	at UCLA	40-37	W	25	55	108	23	9	24
3-1	0-3	0-0	0-0	131	104	22		9/25	UNLV	38-30	W	21	56	104	126	126	98
4-1	2-3	1-0	0-1	127	114	18		10/2	at Hawaii			22	64	95	76	69	70
								10/9	Bye								
	4-0		0-0		120			10/16	at Wyoming						93	62	73
	2-1		0-0		125			10/23	Nevada						67	90	50
	4-0		0-0		126			10/30	at San Diego St						73	24	16
	2-2		1-0		131			11/6	Boise St						91	61	4
	2-2		0-0		107			11/13	New Mexico						107	57	86
								11/20	Bye								
	2-2		1-0		117			11/27	at San Jose St						115	46	79

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
Connecticut	45-0	431	16	0	25	38-156	4.1	27-39	382	0	9	31-35	1.1	14-30	72	4
at Oregon	24-31	15	3	-2	23	30-75	2.5	30-43	298	4	20	49-186	3.8	15-24	172	3
Cal Poly	63-10	397	12	1	25	38-196	5.2	22-29	475	1	13	35-53	1.5	19-37	221	3
at UCLA	40-37	174	15	-1	32	37-114	3.1	39-54	455	3	17	29-117	4.0	14-24	278	0
UNLV	38-30	28	5	0	23	23-83	3.6	30-42	378	1	18	36-152	4.2	15-28	281	4
at Hawaii																
Bye																
at Wyoming																
Nevada																
at San Diego St																
Boise St																
New Mexico																
Bye																
at San Jose St																
Average	42-22	209.0	10.2	-0.4	26	33-125	3.8	71.5%	398	4.3%	15	36-109	3.0	53.8%	205	9.8%
Conference	38-30	28.0	5.0	0.0	23	23-83	3.6	71.4%	378	2.4%	18	36-152	4.2	53.6%	281	14.3%
Away	32-34	94.5	9.0	-1.5	28	34-95	2.8	71.1%	377	7.2%	19	39-152	3.9	60.4%	225	6.3%

OVERALL:		OVERALL:
4-1		2-3
vs. MTW		vs. MTW
1-0		0-1

NCAA RANKINGS

2021 TEAM RANKINGS

Fresno St		Hawaii
#100	Rush Off	#82
#3	Pass Off	#28
#11	**Total Off**	**#44**
#12	Score Off	#75
#81	Sks Allowed	#113
#34	Rush Def	#78
#49	Pass Def	#111
#37	**Total Def**	**#101**
#57	Score Def	#109
#9	Sks By	#34
#6	Ypg Diff	#84
-2	**Total TO's**	**-1**

Fresno St Bulldogs | **TEAM AVERAGES** | **Hawaii Rainbow Warriors**

Position by Position Edges

Fresno St		Hawaii
2.06	Fresno St QB/WR vs. Hawaii DB's	
1.49	Fresno St RB's vs. Hawaii LB's	
1.01	Fresno St OL vs. Hawaii DL	
0.06	Fresno St DL vs. Hawaii OL	
0.72	Fresno St LB'S vs. Hawaii RB's	
0.13	Fresno St DB's vs. Hawaii QB/WR	
2.65	Fresno St ST's vs. Hawaii ST's	
0.40	Fresno St K vs. Hawaii K	
0.80	Fresno St Coaches vs. Hawaii Coaches	
9.31	Fresno St Pts vs. Hawaii Pts	0.00

POSITIONAL EDGE AWARDED TO:

Fresno St

By 9.31 Points

Hawaii Rainbow Warriors

Rainbow Warriors Logs

TM REC	FOE REC	TM CONF	FOE CONF	TM +/-	FOE +/-	AP TM	AP FOE	DATE	FOE	SCORE	W/L	TEAM OFF	TEAM DEF	--PS RANK-- ST	--PS RANK-- OFF	--PS RANK-- DEF	FOE ST
0-0	0-0	0-0	0-0	122	131			8/28	at UCLA	10-44	L	90	57	86	28	32	82
0-1		0-0		118				9/4	Portland St	49-35	W	90	57	86			
1-1	0-1	0-0	0-0	115	124			9/11	at Oregon St	27-45	L	100	54	71	82	83	94
1-2	1-1	0-0	0-0	114	122			9/18	San Jose St	13-17	L	99	74	69	97	54	90
1-3	1-3	0-1	0-0	114	95			9/25	at New Mexico St	41-21	W	87	73	67	126	126	52
2-3	4-1	0-1	1-0	114	127		18	10/2	Fresno St			76	69	70	22	64	95
								10/9	Bye								
	2-1		0-0		125			10/16	at Nevada						67	90	50
	1-3		0-0		95			10/23	New Mexico St						126	126	52
	3-1		1-1		116			10/30	at Utah St						38	103	34
	4-0		0-0		126			11/6	San Diego St						73	24	16
	0-4		0-1		108			11/13	at UNLV						124	124	104
	1-3		0-0		122			11/20	Colorado St						111	115	89
	4-0		0-0		120			11/27	at Wyoming						93	62	73

Score		Net Yds	Net FD	Net TO's	Offense FD	Offense RA-RY	Offense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks	Defense FD	Defense RA-RY	Defense YPC	Comp Att	Yds Pass	Sks
at UCLA	10-44	-123	-4	-2	16	21-26	1.2	28-53	243	2	20	43-244	5.7	12-22	148	2
Portland St	49-35	96	1	0	25	48-268	5.6	18-25	305	4	24	27-77	2.9	23-47	400	2
at Oregon St	27-45	-104	-2	-1	26	29-88	3.0	24-49	366	4	28	42-256	6.1	21-29	302	1
San Jose St	13-17	78	1	1	16	37-127	3.4	18-39	242	0	15	26-56	2.2	23-51	235	2
at New Mexico St	41-21	91	-1	1	21	33-215	6.5	16-25	277	3	22	41-121	3.0	28-47	280	4
Fresno St																
Bye																
at Nevada																
New Mexico St																
at Utah St																
San Diego St																
at UNLV																
Colorado St																
at Wyoming																
Average	28-32	7.6	-1.0	-0.2	21	34-145	4.3	54.5%	287	6.8%	22	36-151	4.2	54.6%	273	5.6%
Conference	13-17	78.0	1.0	1.0	16	37-127	3.4	46.2%	242	0.0%	15	26-56	2.2	45.1%	235	3.9%
Home	31-26	87.0	1.0	0.5	21	43-198	4.6	56.3%	274	6.3%	20	27-67	2.5	46.9%	318	4.1%

Last Five Years Meetings (Last 22 years at PhilSteele.com)

2020	Rank	Line	Score	FD	Rush	Comp-Att-Yds	TO's
Fresno St	-	-2.5	19	22	37-120	17-31-289	
Hawaii	-	68.5	34	27	53-323	20-31-229	3
2019	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Fresno St	-	69	41	26	40-290	18-28-224	
Hawaii	-	-2	38	25	31-209	26-51-346	1
2018	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Fresno St	-	-25.5	50	24	33-214	26-38-348	
Hawaii	-	59.5	20	19	26-88	20-35-286	-2
2017	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Fresno St	-	-10	31	24	36-175	19-36-226	
Hawaii	-	53	21	16	37-118	18-31-124	0
2016	**Rank**	**Line**	**Score**	**FD**	**Rush**	**Comp-Att-Yds**	**TO's**
Fresno St	-	54.5	13	20	52-214	13-23-108	
Hawaii	-	-3	14	11	23-49	20-31-227	-1

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Projected Box Score

Fresno St		Hawaii
	Projected Rushing	
104 yards		124 yards
	Projected Passing	
363 yards		279 yards
	Projected Yardage Total	
467 yards		403 yards
	Projected Final Score	
38 points		25 points
	Experience Rankings	
26		9
	Team Schedule Strength	
95		71

Category	Team & Margin
Las Vegas Line	Fresno St By 10.5
Las Vegas Total	64.5 Points
+/- Ratings	Fresno St By 9.8
Game Grade	Fresno St By 12.9
Computer Yards	Fresno St 467-403
Computer Points	Fresno St 38-25
Phil Steele	Fresno St by 11

Phil's Forecast:

Last time here ('19) Fresno gave up a 14-pt 4Q lead but won on a FG as time expired. Dating back to 2009 UH is just 3-9 SU/4-7-1 ATS against Fresno. UH did snap their 3-game losing streak to Fresno LY in the opener, winning 34-19 (+2'). Hawaii fumbled the opening KR and FSU went 26/5 for TD to lead 7-0. Fresno then had 4 TO's and Hawaii was 11-16 on 3rd down and rushed for 323 yards. Fresno settled for 22 & 25 yd FG and missed a FG. Fresno took the lead with 1:44 left in half but UH went 72/6 for TD :26 left 17-13 and had 552-409 yard-edge in 34-19 win. UH is just 4-11-2 ATS in MW home games the LSY and have no home crowd and are playing at a temporary home field. Hawaii opened 0-3 ATS with but only lost to San Jose St by 4 and had a 369-291 yd edge. Last week they led 17-3 then 17-13 H. UH led 34-21 but NMSt was SOD and UH went 35/4 for TD to cover in 41-21 (-17) win at NMSt. Fresno opened 4-0 ATS leading Oregon 24-21 in the 4Q and upsetting UCLA. Last week Fresno was off their upset of UCLA and UNLV scored on first 2 poss and to lead 14-0 and it was 21-9 after a screen pass went 80 yds for TD on 1st play of 3Q. Fresno went 68/8, 80/4 & 85/7 for TD to lead 29-21 but UNLV got a TD and FG to lead 30-29 6:38. Fresno 26 yd TD pass 4:53 then 31 yd FG 2:29 and pulled out 38-30 home win (-30). Fresno is the stronger team but Hawaii is not as bad as their record.

Fresno St 38 Hawaii 27